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OUTLINES.

An important conference was held at the War Department in regard to legislation to meet fiscal conditions in the Philippines. —— Booker T. Washington was refused a room at three hotels in Springfield, Mass. —— The chief of police of Norfolk is confident that the missing Miss Cropsey is in Baltimore. —— The warships Alabama and Massachusetts will sail from Charleston to-day for Havana. —— Negro who assaulted and seriously cut a deputy sheriff and the latter's wife at Cape Charles, La., was hanged by a mob. —— The German tariff bill goes to committee next week. —— A bank at Archibald, Ohio, robbed of $2,000; the robbers were captured. —— The Chinese loan will be issued December 21st. —— New York markets: Money on call steady; no loans made to-day; cotton quiet at 8½c; flour fairly active and very firm on the wheat advance; wheat—spot steady; No. 2 red 87½c; corn—spot market firm; No. 2, 73½c; rosin steady; strained common to good $1.55; spirits turpentine quiet at 37½@38c.

WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Dec. 7.

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 37 degrees; 8 P. M., 40 degrees; maximum, 50 degrees; minimum, 36 degrees; mean, 38 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of the month to date, 2.16 inches.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—For North Carolina: Fair Sunday, except rain in western portion; warmer. Monday rain and colder; light variable winds, becoming fresh southeasterly.

Port Almanac--December 8.

Sun Rises	6.57 A. M.
Sun Sets	4.46 P. M.
Day's Length	9 H. 49 M.
High Water at Southport.	5.29 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	7.59 P. M

Senator Hanna is said to have been one of the financial backers of the Gathman big gun. But the Gathman gun went back on Hanna.

Secretary Wilson says tea culture in South Carolina has brought a profit of from $30 to $40 an acre to the growers, which beats cotton all hollow.

There are about 30,000 negro voters in Indiana which may go far in accounting for statesman Crumpacker's objections to the laws in the South which restrict negro suffrage.

There will be little done in Congress before the Christmas holidays but skirmishing and pulse-feeling. They will not get down to work till they have filled up on turkey and other stuffing.

The Portland, Oregon, Woman's Club has followed the example of the St. Paul, Minnesota, club and drawn the line on admitting or affiliating in national conventions with colored females.

A Lynn, Mass., man in his will bequeathed $1,500 to a man who had loaned him $10 some years before. Whether this was a case of remorse of conscience or of gratitude is not stated, but whatever it was there was $1,490 worth of it to the $10 man.

Congressman Babcock, of Wisconsin, says he is determined to make a fight against the trusts and expects a good deal of support on the Republican side of the House. They already call him the "Trust Smasher," but it seems to us that this is somewhat too previous.

A Rochester, N. Y., woman who got tired carrying the name of Damn jumped into a river and drowned herself. It seems to us that she might have found some other way of extinguishing a name like that without using so much water.

An Austrian professor has bequeathed $15,000 to a museum on condition that it put up in air-tight cases his personal traps and preserve them for 200 years, so that the sight-seers of those days may see how a professor of this day got himself up and lived. But where may the museum and the professor's traps be then?

Russel Sage says the way to get rich is to "make your first thousand as soon as you can and then invest it wisely." When you have made your first million or two keep on investing it wisely and you stand a pretty good chance of getting rich, provided you don't indulge in too much extravagance.

For LaGrippe and Influenza use CHENEY'S EXPECTORANT.
For sale by Hardin's Palace Pharmacy.

LOCAL DOTS.

— Rev. Joel Allen will preach at the First Baptist church, morning and evening to-day.

— Dr. Voigt will speak to men at the Y. M. C. A. this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Miss Cole will sing.

— Christian science service at Masonic Temple, Room 10, this morning at 11:15 o'clock. Subject of Bible lesson "Sacrament."

— The Atlantic Coast Line is placing steam heaters in the waiting room, ticket office and purchasing agent's department at the Front street station. Steam will be supplied from from the shops adjoining.

— A protracted meeting is now in progress at the Baptist church at Teacheys. Rev. Dr. N. B. Cobb, pastor, is assisted by Rev. Walter W. Johnson, who will remain during the ensuing week. Preaching morning and night.

— A Newbern correspondent says: "The Newbern Naval Battalion, forty strong, will attend the Exposition at Charleston, leaving here January 16th. The boys will take their boat—the *Hornet*—and a general good time is anticipated."

— Messrs. W. B. Cooper and Jos. H. Watters have been named a committee from the Wholesale Grocers' Association to join those of the Produce Exchange and Chamber of Commerce in petitioning for an additional passenger train on the Seaboard Air Line railroad.

— The United States buoy tender *Wistaria* will leave this morning for Charleston, S. C., after completing repairs at Skinners' Marine Railway. Mr. E. P. Bailey will go to Charleston on the steamer as a guest of Capt. Johnson and Chief Engineer O'Brien.

— Capt. A. L. DeRosset and daughter, Miss Tallulah DeRosset, have returned from New York. Friends of Capt. DeRosset will be glad to know that while there is no immediate improvement in the condition of his eyesight, he has made arrangements to undergo a treatment at home, which promises to be very beneficial.

— A series of meetings of the "Church of the Living God," will be held at Fifth ward hook and ladder hall, Fifth, near Castle street, beginning Saturday at 3 P. M. Pilgrim B. H. Bartow, of Allegheny, Pa., will deliver a series of free discourses on the divine plan of the ages. Bible study classes will be continued as may be arranged. The subject will be illustrated by a large "Chart of the Ages."

STREET DIFFICULTY INVESTIGATED.

Messrs. Simmons, Pannill and Frank in Justice Fowler's Court Yesterday.

Justice Fowler yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock investigated cases against Messrs. T. F. Simmons, Henry Pannill and Jno. Frank, charging each of them with a breach of the peace growing out of the difficulty between them on Princess street Friday afternoon. Judgment was suspended in the case of Messrs. Frank and Pannill upon payment of the costs, and Mr. Simmons was fined $10 and costs. Mr. Frank was represented at the hearing by Geo. L. Peschau and Iredell Meares, Esqs., while L. V. Grady, Esq., appeared for Messrs. Simmons and Pannill.

The litigation was inaugurated by Mr. Frank to seek redress of the alleged assault upon him, and the warrant against him was procured at the instance of the defendants in the other cases.

Owing to the prominence of the parties to the difficulty the trial drew a large number of spectators, and the hearing had to be adjourned from the Justice's office to the grand jury room at the Court House. Witnesses for Mr. Frank were Capt. S. W. Skinner, Capt. W. H. Northrop, Dr. M. H. P. Clark, Alderman George Harriss, Messrs. C. C. Chadbourn and Reid French. Messrs. Simmons and Pannill testified in their own behalf, and introduced one or two other witnesses.

Association Course Tuesday.

"The Labadies," in a rare combination of wit, wisdom and humor, will be the third concert in the Association Course at the Y. M. C. A. Tuesday night. These entertainers have some very favorable press criticisms and the Association Amusement Committee feels confident it has in the "Labadies' an attraction well worth the seeing. Reserved seat sale begins to-morrow morning.

Organist of Baptist Church.

Miss Cannie Chasten has been elected to, and it is learned has accepted, the position of organist at the First Baptist church. The congregation feels itself especially fortunate in securing the services of Miss Chasten, and she has been given entire control of the choir, which will be reorganized and reinforced.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

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H. A. Martindale—Hogs for sale.

One-fourth on millinery at Polvgot's. †

DR. WM. W. HARRISS.

Distinguished and Highly Esteemed Citizen Died Suddenly Last Night.

HIS DEATH MOURNED BY ALL.

Went Home from His Office as Usual Yesterday Afternoon, But in Few Hours Was Cold in Death. Funeral To-morrow.

The city of Wilmington seldom has occasion to mourn the loss of a more distinguished citizen than that which came in the sudden death of Dr. William White Harriss at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, No. 314 Chesnut street, last night at 8:30 o'clock.

The news of the death, though occurring at night, spread quickly over the city and was a pronounced shock to hundreds of friends and acquaintances, who on the afternoon previous had seen him upon the streets and at his office in his accustomed buoyant spirits and in apparent good health.

Dr. Harriss for the past several days had been unwell and had been suffering much from indigestion, but few of his friends knew of it, as he was always wont to look upon the bright side of life and seldom complained. He left his office on Princess street as usual about 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and came down on Front street to do some shopping before going to his home as usual about an hour later. After completing his purchases he joined his little grand-son, Meares Harriss, and went with him up Market as far as Third street, where the boy left his grand-father to go to his father's home on Fifth street, Dr. Harriss, in the meantime going up Third to Chesnut street and thence to his daughter's home on Chesnut between Third and Fourth streets. Upon arriving at home he complained of feeling unwell and his evening meal was sent to him in his daughter's room. Mrs. Harlow became a trifle uneasy about her father's condition and went to see Dr. Storm to inquire if anything could be done to relieve him of the abject feeling which was unusual with him. She returned to her home and going to the room to provide some medicine for her father, she found him very ill and as he went to the side of the bed to rest, he fell into a deep unconsciousness and life was almost extinct in a few seconds.

Dr. Harriss, before his death, was the oldest living native-born male citizen of the city. He was born in Wilmington Jan. 13th, 1824, and was, therefore, in the 78th year of his age. He had resided here practically all his life, and was perhaps better known and more highly esteemed than any man in Wilmington. His characteristic good humor, his genial disposition, his high sense of honor and unswerving devotion to his conception of the right, had endeared him to a very large number of people of all classes and conditions. He was charitable to a fault, generous in his views and uniformly courteous to all. None knew him but to love him and admire the many traits of manly character that were peculiarly his own.

Dr. Harriss was a member of one of the oldest and most distinguished families of this section, and leaves a very large number of relatives to whom the sympathy of the community is extended in this, their hour of great bereavement. Of the immediate family there are now surviving, three sisters, Mrs. Dr. John D. Bellamy, Mrs. A. J. Howell and Miss Mary Harriss, of Wilmington, and five sons and daughters, Mr. George N. Harriss and Mrs. W. L. Harlow, of this city; Mr. Thos. B. Harriss, of Savannah, Ga.; Mr. W. W. Harriss, Jr., of Gainesville, Fla., and Mr. Jno. B. Harriss, of Havana, Cuba. The lamented Mr. George Harriss, who died about two years ago, was a brother of the deceased and was intimately associated with him in business for many years.

Dr. Harriss' wife, to whom he was married in 1848, was Miss Caroline M. Brown, who preceded him to the grave about eight years ago.

Dr. Harriss received his early education at the then celebrated Colton School of Fayetteville, N. C., where he was prepared for college. He entered the University of North Carolina and graduated from that institution with the degree of A. B., in 1842. Before his death he was the oldest living alumnus of that institution and had been since the death of the late Dr. A. J. DeRosset about five years ago. After his graduation he returned to Wilmington and read medicine with the late Dr. J. D. Bellamy, but afterwards graduated with distinction from the celebrated Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa. Later he pursued post graduate studies in medicine at the famous Bellevue institution in New York.

After completing his education Dr. Harriss came to Wilmington and practiced for a number of years until about 1858, when he became a member of the firm of Harriss & Howell, composed of the late George Harriss, Dr. Harriss and Mr. A. J. Howell. The shipping industry of Wilmington was then at its zenith and the firm had the principal ship brokers' offices in the city. A large wholesale commission business was also conducted.

When the war came, Dr. Harriss cast his lot with the Confederacy and enlisted as a surgeon in the C. S. A. serving with great distinction and efficiency until the close of the conflict.

For several years after the war he remained a member of the firm of Harriss & Howell and was one of the foremost business men of the city. During this period he served one or more terms as president of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce and was closely identified with other organizations designed for the upbuilding of the town and community.

Closing his connection with the firm of Harriss & Howell, Dr. Harriss engaged in the drug business in 1874 on corner of Front and Market streets in the store now occupied by Mr. R. R. Bellamy. Subsequently and until the time of his death, deceased had been engaged in the insurance business and mercantile pursuits. While in the insurance business, he was for many years president of the Local Board of Underwriters. Later he was an acting Justice of the Peace and was for a number of years chairman of the Board of Justices of New Hanover county.

Dr. Harriss was a devoted member of the Masonic fraternity and was perhaps the oldest living Mason in Wilmington. He was connected with St. John's Lodge No. 1 and was one of the most valued members of that branch of the order. He was also a member and officer of the Royal Arcanum and American Legion of Honor. In the latter order he was one of a few members in Wilmington who, on account of reverses to the fraternity, remained with it until the difficulty had been tided over.

Dr. Harriss had been for many years a communicant of St. James' church and was one of the most devoted and attentive members of the parish. In his church and private life he was almost without a peer. None will bear of his death but to regard it as a personal loss and a blow to the community.

The funeral will be conducted Monday morning at 11 o'clock from St. James' church, thence to Oakdale.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Deeds Recorded at Court House Yesterday for Several Tracts of Value

By deeds filed for record yesterday at the Court House, the following property transfers are noted.

Mortimer H. Brown and wife and John Kent Brown, of Louisville, Ky., to Lucy Isabelle Brown, of Petersburg, Va., lot on south side of Mulberry street, 50 feet west of Second street; thence southwardly 89 feet to G. H. Kelley's line; thence west with said line 69 feet to alley; thence north 20 feet; thence west 38 feet; thence northwardly 89 feet to the southern line of Mulberry street and 115 feet to the beginning; amount $1 and other considerations.

Geo. Sloan and wife to Hannah L. Sloan, lot on north side of Chesnut between Sixth and Seventh streets, 66x67 feet in size; consideration $100.

W. R. French and wife to R. A. Burnett and wife, lot on north side of Wright between Front and Second streets, size 44x66 feet; consideration, $150.

Lucy Isabelle Brown, of Petersburg, to DeLeon Fillyaw, lot on south side of Grace street with 67 feet frontage on Grace street, extending southwardly 69 feet; westwardly two feet to an alley, westwardly across the alley and parallel with Grace streets 8 feet; southwardly with the alley 119 feet to Vance's alley, eastwardly along said alley 8 feet; northwardly and parallel with Second street 98 feet; eastwardly 69 feet and northwardly to the beginning; consideration, $2,500.

W. M. Cumming and wife to James M. Galley and wife, house and lot 66x165 feet, fronting 66 feet on western line of Anderson street, between Green and Miller streets; consideration, $700.

OPERA HOUSE OFFERINGS.

Trio of Good Attractions Booked—Rose Coghlan To-morrow Evening Will Be Notable Theatre Event.

"How hard would be the way of evil-doers and how easy the task of improving social conditions if it were not for the fool friends of good causes," says one of the characters in Rose Coghlan's play, "A Woman of No Importance," which will be seen here at the Opera House to-morrow night. The production promises to be the most prominent social event of the season, as the play is generally conceded to be the keenest satire on social ambiguities and shams produced in the past decade. "Who is that lady?" asks a friend of the man who has just refused absolutely and mercilessly to repair a great wrong done to the lady's son and herself, after a powerful dramatic scene. "Oh! she's a woman of no importance," replied the man airily. From this incident the play received its title. It is notable that the curtain descends on every act upon a scene of intense dramatic force. The company chosen to support Rose Coghlan is said to have been selected from the ranks of the best actors in society plays New York city can provide, and the entire production a costly and elaborate one. Seats are now on sale at Gerken's.

"Uncle Josh Spruceby" — This charming comedy drama will be next produced at the Opera House Saturday night. A carload of scenery and mechanical effects are said to be carried and a saw mill at work one of the startling mechanical effects. Among other features are a grand operatic orchestra and a concert band.

"The Belle of New York"—With its merry lythrical jingles, its pretty girls and delightful ensembles, this attraction will be seen at the Opera House Monday, Dec. 16th. This well known musical comedy is said to be so well written and it posseses so many delightful features that one wishes to see it a second and third time.

Gents' neckwear just received at Polvgot's. †

Toys, Games, Dolls and fancy goods are now on display at The C. W. Polvgot Co's store. †

GATTIS' NAME AGAIN

Before Methodist Conference at Fayetteville a Second Time Yesterday Morning.

PROCEEDINGS IN DETAIL.

Mr. W. E. Springer, of Wilmington, Elected a Delegate—Bishop Hargrove Made a Characteristic Address to the Body--Afternoon Session.

The Fayetteville *Observer* contains the following report of the fourth day's session of the North Carolina Conference in that city yesterday:

Conference met at 9:30 this morning, Bishop Hargrove in the chair. Devotional exercises conducted by Rev. L. E. Thompson. Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Rev. F. E. Dixon was announced as a transfer from the Pacific Conference.

Rev. R. F. Bumpass was placed on committee of second year and C. C. Covington was placed on the Epworth Board.

A memorial to the General Conference was read by Rev. N. B. Watson in regard to having question asked in the conferences as to how many copies of the Organ are in circulation.

On motion of B. R. Hall the credentials of D. A. Fuitrell were restored. Some time ago he surrendered these and withdrew from the ministry and membership of the church, but recently he joined the church again and has been doing acceptable work as supply.

Rev. J. E. Underwood, presiding elder of the Warrenton district, announced that during the past year Rev. O. Ryder, who was appointed to Scotland Neck station at the last session of the conference, had gotten into trouble and had surrendered his credentials and withdrawn from the ministry and membership of the church.

Rev. T. H. Law, D. D., the agent of the American Bible Society, was introduced to the conference and addressed the body in behalf of the interest he represents.

The vote whereby the name of T. J. Gattis was not referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, on motion of W. S. Roan, was reconsidered. Mr. Roan then moved the reference of the name to the superannuated relations. Messrs. Roan, Cole and Nash made earnest speeches, filled with the spirit of brotherly kindness, in support of the motion. Dr. Yates also made one of the best of talks, saying that, although Mr. Gattis has declared he could not get justice, we will show him that he is mistaken. The name of T. J. Gattis was then referred.

Dr. Gibbs moved that the Bishop be instructed to draw a draft on Dr. Moore, treasurer of trustees, for $90 in favor of the joint Board of Finance. The motion was carried.

Question 20, "Are all the preachers blameless in their lives and official administration." was resumed: R. A. Bruton, J. G. Johnson, A. D. Betts, C. W. Robinson, N. E. Coltrane, H. E. Tripp, L. H. Joyner, A. P. Tyer and T. J. Daily passed examination of character and made their reports.

At this juncture of the proceedings Bishop Hargrove made a speech to the conference in which he strongly insisted that the preachers should not be careless about giving attention to all the organizations of the church and especially those societies supervised by the women of the church. He also insisted that the church should devise means to take proper care of the foreign element that is coming into different parts of the territory embraced in certain Southern Methodist Conferences. The speech was listened to with much interest by the preachers.

Drs. L. L. Nash and A. P. Tyer spoke of difficulty in the way of organizing Woman's Home Mission Societies in this conference. Bishop Hargrove urged the necessity of supporting this institution of the church.

Rev. J. N. Cole submitted the report of the committee on trial in the case of R. J. Moorman. This report stated that Mr. Moorman had taken stimulants upon his physician's advice and the committee found that the charge of immorality was not sustained. J. E. Underwood made a motion that Mr. Moorman's case be referred to the committee on conference relations and it was so referred.

The next business before the conference was the election of delegates to the general conference. The tellers were instructed to retire from the room to count the ballots. The conference is entitled to four clerical and four lay delegates. On the first lay ballot, J. G. Brown was elected and on the second W. E. Springer and J. H. Southgate were elected.

The first clerical ballot resulted in the election of J. C. Kilgo, who received 88 of the 134 votes cast. At this writing the balloting is still going on.

The call of the 20th question was resumed and concluded, the characters of the preachers on the Washington, Warrenton and Elizabeth City districts being passed and their reports submitted.

There was an afternoon session presided over by Rev. Dr. E. A. Yates.

Algonquin Back in Port.

The revenue cutter *Algonquin* is in at Southport from Charleston where she participated in the elaborate demonstration by land and sea in honor of the opening of the Exposition. Col. A. M. Waddell, mayor of the city, who was a guest of Capt. Willey on his splendid ship, came up to the city on the steamer *Wilmington* and reports a delightful trip. The cutter will not come up to the city until Monday.

Died at Delgado.

Mrs. Annie Turner, wife of Thomas Turner, died at her home at Delgado, Friday noon of consumption. She is survived to mourn their loss by a husband and two children. The burial took place yesterday at Delgado. Another death occurred at Delgado at 5 o'clock the same afternoon. The deceased is Fernie Strother, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Strother, who have the sympathy of many friends.

Trimmed millinery and felt shapes one-fourth off regular price at Polvgot's this week. †

To keep the department busy, The Polvgot Co. are selling millinery one-fourth off. †

THE CASE OF ABDUCTION.

Defendants in Police Court Yesterday Were Found Not Guilty and Discharged—The Prosecution.

After a preliminary investigation lasting two hours in the police court, yesterday at noon, Gussie Grier and Mamie Brock, both white, were acquitted of the charge of abducting thirteen-year-old Maggie Bentley, particulars of which offence were given in these columns yesterday morning.

The hearing was before Mayor Waddell, who arrived from Charleston in time to relieve Mayor pro tem. VonGlahn of the long, tedious trial that ensued.

The evidence disclosed an environment of total depravity at the Bentley home and the character of the mother from whom the child was alleged to have been abducted was shown to be of a very low standard. It was also shown that the child left home of her own free will and accord and that her own young life had already begun to conform to the example set by the parent. The child was attired in her own clothing at the trial yesterday and a complete transformation was the result. She bears all the evidences of the poverty and depravity that was shown from the evidence to encircle her home and the pity was expressed that there was not some reformatory to which she could be sent.

The Mayor, in dismissing the case, said the public would probably hear of the matter again, but that from the evidence he did not find probable cause.

Herbert McClammy and Marsden Bellamy, Esqs., appeared for the defendants and City Attorney Bellamy prosecuted the case.

N. C. COLONIAL DAMES.

Invited Through Their President to Become Guests at Charleston Exposition of South Carolina Society.

The following communication inviting the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames, through its president, Mrs. George Wilson Kidder, to be present at "Colonial Day" at the Charleston Exposition, is printed by request:

Mrs. George Wilson Kidder, president Colonial Dames, 101 S. Third St., Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Madam—The South Carolina Society of Colonial Dames, having been invited by the Woman's Department of the South Carolina Inter-State and West Indian Exposition to name a day to be celebrated as Colonial Day at the Exposition, they have selected February 13th for that occasion. Our Board extend to the State Society of North Carolina a cordial invitation to visit our city at that time and join with us in a befitting celebration of the event. No city is richer in colonial memories and buildings. Our Colonial Dames will receive you in their building over two hundred years old, surrounded by relics of the days which gave them their name and cause of being.

Hoping that your Society will attend in large numbers, and that we will have the opportunity of making your stay notable and pleasant, Yours very truly, LEE C. HARBOY,
Chairman Convocation Committee.

State papers are requested to reprint the foregoing.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Highest Prices Recorded—Desperate Efforts of Bears—Situation in Hands of Producers and Owners.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

NEW YORK, Dec. 7. — The New York cotton market closed the week at the highest prices recorded since the publication of the government report. This is in spite of most desperate efforts made by the bears to minimize the importance of the report and offset it by ridiculously big crop estimates from Mr. Neill and other alleged authorities. Mr. Neill's reaffirmation yesterday of his previous crop estimate of 11,350,000, is a confession of desperation on the part of those who sold cotton on the strength of any such absurd figure, and they are to-night much chagrined to find that their efforts to recover the cotton they have sold have been unsuccessful. It looks as if the cotton world had commenced to appreciate the extraordinary situation with which it is confronted and it is evident that even if the crop should exceed the government estimate and reach 10,000,000 bales, which seems altogether improbable, that every bale of cotton in existence will be wanted at prices much higher than those now current. The situation is entirely in the hands of the producers and owners of cotton at the South. They have only to ask full prices for the cotton they hold to secure them. The world must buy, and in my opinion is going to buy very promptly.

Secretary Turner Here.

Mr. W. W. Turner, formerly general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association in Wilmington, arrived in the city yesterday from East Arcadia on his way home to Virginia. Mr. Turner is at present not engaged in Y. M. C. A. work, but will spend several months at home in an effort to regain his health. He will be the guest of friends in Wilmington for a few days.

Poultry Show in January.

Outside fanciers are fast becoming interested in Wilmington's poultry show to be given at the City Hall, Jan. 1st-4th. The committee yesterday received letters from Mr. L. F. Lucas, Lucama, N. C., who will make an exhibit of Barred Plymouth Rocks exclusively, and from Mr. J. W. L. Thompson, of Burlington, who writes that he will have a good exhibit of Buff Plymouth Rocks.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wallace went to Kenansville yesterday to spend Sunday.

— Rev. P. C. Morton is conducting a series of meetings at Louisburg, N. C., and in Pitt county.

— Mr. Ernest M. Brogden left last night to spend a few days at his old home in Goldsboro.

— Miss Nellie Faison returned to her home at Faison, N. C., yesterday, after a visit to friends in the city.

— In the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. W. Craig will preach at the usual hours at Market Street M. E. church to-day.

— Mr. John W. Gafford, who has been pursuing a literary course at the State University, returned home yesterday morning. His friends in the city are glad to learn that his health is much improved.

Special Meeting of Aldermen.

It is more than probable that Mayor Waddell will call a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen, to be held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, for the purpose of taking into consideration a proposition for assisting in the work of furnishing the James Walker Memorial Hospital. The Board of Managers of the institution has made every effort, it is learned, to secure a sufficient amount of money for the work, but there still remains a small amount to be raised, which the city and county will be called upon to supply. The required number of Aldermen have signed a request to Mayor Waddell to call the extra session of the Board.

Notes of the Shipping.

The Clyde steamer *Geo. W. Clyde* arrived in the city Friday night from Georgetown, S. C., and cleared yesterday evening for New York. The Norwegian barque *Hutitu* arrived yesterday from Liverpool with a cargo of salt. The British steamer *Jessmore* arrived yesterday from New York for a cargo of cotton from the Champion Compress.

Select your holiday goods from Polvgot. †

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MARRIED.

WILLIAMSON—BELLAMY. On Tuesday, November 12th, 1901 at St. James' church, by Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield, James Walter Williamson and Eliza McIlhenny Bellamy.

DIED.

HARRISS—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, No. 314 Chesnut street, last night at 8:30 o'clock, Dr. WILLIAM WHITE HARRISS, in the 78th year of his age.

Funeral to-morrow (Monday) morning at 11 o'clock from St. James' church, thence to Oakdale Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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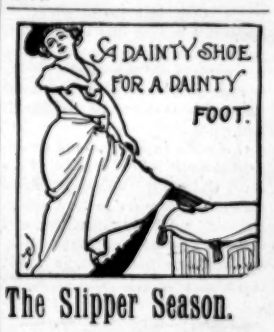

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SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 8.

"THE AMERICAN PERIL."

Every European country that has any foreign commerce or any manufacturing industries that amount to anything is more or less concerned, if not alarmed, at the progress this country is making in her commerce with other nations and in the rapid progress she has made in coming to the front as the first of the manufacturing nations. They fear American competition in the markets of the world and even in their own markets. The nation that shows the most alarm is Germany, and, strange to say, Germany is the one of all the nations of Europe which has modelled most after Americans and adopted as far as practicable the American methods against which some of her statesmen now protest and against which they advise retaliatory legislation under the pretence of further protecting Germany's threatened or suffering industries. These statesmen and protectionists, impressed, perhaps, with the claims of the protectionists in this country, that the great progress made in the past decade, especially, and the great accumulation of wealth are the result of the protective tariff, take it for granted that this is all so, and that the only way to combat American progress and aggressive competition is to fight her with her own weapon—a high protective tariff.

There is a new tariff bill now before the Reichstag, drafted mainly with a view to crowding America out of the German market. It has strong supporters, and also strong opponents, men who believe that no measure is too radical which will protect the German manufacturer and producer from outside, especially American competition, which they fear most, while its opponents believe that any measure is too radical which imposes oppressive burdens on the masses of the German people, and at the same time drives away one of Germany's best customers.

One of its supporters and a wild-eyed alarmist is Prof. Paasche, of the Halle University, who spent some time in this country in 1899, studying the industrial situation, and learning what he could about American methods that brought about this great progress. The presumption is that he made copious notes and loaded himself with statistical documents which he is now utilizing to scare the German statesmen into the adoption of the protective measures which he and those for whom he speaks favor. He made a speech in the Reichstag Wednesday a cry of alarm, the substance of which is thus reported by cable from Berlin:

"During his address he laid before the House masses of figures which set forth the expansion of the American manufactures and of American foreign commerce of recent years and the enormous accumulation of wealth in the United States. He accompanies his statistics with a philosophical analysis supporting the idea that Germany's most dangerous and most immediate trade enemy was the United State.

"Peculiarly grave dangers threaten us from America; against these we must put ourselves in a state of defence.

"Dr. Paasche was particularly impressed by the rapid growth of the cotton goods trade in the United States, which he said now dominated the markets of the world. Referring to the paragraph in President Roosevelt's message to Congress concerning reciprocity, Dr. Paasche said:

"'America makes a feint of adopting a policy of more liberal commercial treaties, but she is determined to abandon nothing of her protective system. What would it profit us if we got a slight reduction of duties which are now absolutely prohibitive? In spite of this, our 'Treaties' say we do not dare to raise our duties. The Yankee has not a trace of such sentimental politics.'"

If Dr. Paasche had remained longer in this country and studied the situation with a view to acquiring information rather than to forming conclusions to sustain previously formed theories, he might have learned some things that he does not seem to have learned as to the causes of American progress and prosperity, which he attributes to the protective tariff system. It may be admitted that this has stimulated manufacturing industries, as it also did in Germany, but this alone did not and could not have given them and the country the prosperity they have had within the past few years, following a period of depression. Good crops in this country and poor crops abroad had more to do with the return of prosperity, and with putting our industries on a firm basis, than all the tariff legislation that has been put on paper. The American manufactory rests upon the American granary and on the American cotton gin.

There are other factors which seem to have escaped him, one of which is the know-how-to-do-things of the American "captains of industry," as President Roosevelt calls them, and the forces which they command. They have learned how to do what they undertake to do in the easiest, quickest, best and cheapest possible way and they build machinery which does the work of human hands apparently with almost human intelligence. This machinery, in such universal use, is a mighty factor in the unparalleled progress of this country. One of our steel men, saw in Krupp's establishment, in Dr. Paache's country, over a hundred men employed in moving a piece of steel casting, which in one of our steel plants would be more quickly moved by a man and a boy with the aid of automatic machinery. Dr. Paache does not seem to have taken the machinery in.

Railroads are a potent factor in development and progress and in encouraging production both of raw material and manufactures. Cheap transportation is always an item in competition, and cheap and rapid transportation are potent agencies in building up internal and external commerce. When Sir Christopher Furness, of England, one of England's great shipbuilders, was in this country recently studying up business, he was forcibly struck with the matchless management of our railroads in contrast with the management of railroads in Great Britain. Here he saw one locomotive drawing trains of loaded cars which it would require two or three English locomotives to draw, and then he understood why it is that railroad charges are comparatively so low in this country and how it is that the farmers in North Dakota can put wheat in London and compete with the wheat growers of European countries. Dr. Paache failed to make a note of this, in fact he failed to make notes of lots of things that he might have seen, which would have opened his eyes and changed his views somewhat, and also persuaded him that this country can stand a tariff war much better than Germany can.

SHOWING HIS HAND.

Representative Crumpacker, of Indiana, followed up Mr. Moody's resolution, to which we referred Saturday, by introducing his bill for the reapportionment of Representatives, and a change of the method of apportionment from population, as heretofore, to the vote cast. The object, of course, is to reduce Southern representation, as shown, if the purpose had not been admitted and well known.

It fixes the number of Representatives at 372, and increases the representation from the Northern States while it decreases the representation from the Southern States.

The alleged reason for this decrease is the disfranchisement of negroes in some of the Southern States, and the suppression of negro votes, even where there are no disfranchising acts; but why doesn't Mr. Crumpacker, if he be honest, and is not playing a partisan game, propose to reduce the representation of those Northern and Western States which restrict suffrage, or where elections are carried by fraud, intimidation and other unlawful methods?

The State of Pennsylvania, for instance, is a good Republican State, but the elections in that State are notoriously corrupt, so much so that in the last election there was a union of anti-machine citizens to try to overthrow the bosses, but the combine failed and the same old crowd runs Pennsylvania. By its methods the opponents of the machine are practically disfranchised in that State for their votes might as well be thrown into the Susquehanna.

In his own State of Indiana there are estimated to be about 30,000 negro voters. Do the Republicans of that State ever nominate a negro for office, or nominate any one the negroes ask for? Not much. They are as completely ignored as if they were not in existence. They have simply the privilege of voting for some one the white bosses put up and are thus practically disfranchised. The ballot for them is a mere farce.

THE APPALACHIAN PARK.

Congressman Brownlow, of Tennessee, has introduced a bill in the House to provide for the creation of a Southern national park, which will contain a strip of the mountainous section of North Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia, and will embrace about ten million acres.

This scheme has been under consideration for some time and is warmly and strongly advocated by Secretary of Agriculture, Wilson, as a means of forest preservation on the watersheds which supply the streams having their source on either side of the Appalachian range of mountains.

It is an ideal location for a national park, with some of the grandest scenery on the continent, in a delightful climate, with the addition of being centrally located, and easy of access to tourists of this and other countries. Some of the property is still held by the States, which will cede it to the Federal Government, and some is held by individuals, most of whom, we presume, would be willing to dispose of it to the Government at a nominal price as, being mountainous and of little value for agricultural or pasturing purposes, it is of little use and brings no profit to them, save for the timber that might be cut at points where transportation was practicable. As a forest reservation it will prove of much more value to posterity than all the money that could be gotten out of it would be to the present generation.

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BOOK NOTICES.

The *Atlantic Monthly* for December presents a large and interesting list of contents on various topics, some of which are attracting much attention at this time. There is much in it that the thoughtful reader as well as the reader for pastime will enjoy. Published by Houghton, Mifflin & Co., No. 4 Park street, Boston.

"The Story of the Art of Building" is the title of a very interesting and instructive little volume issued by D. Appleton & Co., publishers, New York. It is illustrated, showing the different styles of architecture for the different ages and famous structures, and will prove not only interesting but valuable to those who take an interest in that subject. The volume is neatly bound in cloth.

"The Man's Prerogative" by Edmond S Van Zile is an interesting story, which appears in the December number of *Tales from Town Topics*. In addition to this there are a number of other short stories, poems, &c., making on the whole a very attractive number. Published by the Town Topics Company, 208 Fifth avenue and 1128 Broadway, New York.

There was a strike in a New Jersey copper mine the other day all on account of a woman. When cutting into a new vein the miners struck the petrified body of a woman, possibly one of the original inhabitants; they were struck with terror, threw down their picks, &c., and struck for the top ground, and no inducement could get them to go down and confront that petrified woman again.

Mr. Wu, the Chinese Minister at Washington, continues to chin against the Chinese exclusion act. But Mr. Wu is tackling too big a thing for a Celestial of his size.

CURRENT COMMENT.

— The bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Burrows, of Michigan, dealing with anarchy, apparently only applies to alien anarchists, providing against their getting into the country and for their deportation when discovered. It does not cover the case of home-bred anarchists like the wretch who shot President McKinley, and it does not clearly define anarchism.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

— President Roosevelt says that the facts as to trusts should be published. Now if he will devise some means of making trust promoters and managers stick to facts he will establish a claim to practical statesmanship, though the American consumer has not thus far profited by the known and published fact that tariff-protected commodities are sold more cheaply abroad than at home.—*Norfolk Virginian-Pilot, Dem.*

— It has been reported that when the President was questioned a few weeks ago by some nervous protected manufacturers as to that part of his message relating to the tariff and reciprocity, they were "reassured" by the suggestion that they read it "between the lines." The trusts, we think, will find equal comfort in the same exercise. Certainly there is nothing in the lines to occasion them the least uneasiness.—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

— Representative Williams, of Missouri, "draws it mild" when he makes his resolution call for an investigation as to the truth or falsity of the scurrilous accusations against Schley included in one Maclay's so-called "History of the American Navy." What he ought to call for is an inquiry which would show the public by whose baleful influence that falsifier of history was foisted on the navy yard pay rolls as a "laborer" as a reward for his readiness to caluminate for all time the heroic sailor whose victory off Santiago brought the Spanish war to a close; and why he is still kept on that pay roll.—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

TWINKLINGS.

— The Lady—I suppose art fills your whole ambition? The Artist—Yes; but otherwise it's not alway's so filling.—*Indianapolis News.*

— Bill—"Old Skinflint says his first dollar was the hardest to get." Jill—"Yes, and the last is the hardest to give up."—*Yonkers' Statesman*

— Little Clarence—"Pa, when Lot's wife was turned to salt what did he do?" Mr. Callipers—"Began to look for a fresh one, I presume."—*The Smart Set.*

— There seems to be quite an epidemic of breaches of trust on the part of financial officers of fraternal orders. Are the gentlemen losing their grip?—*Washington Post.*

— Mme. Sarah Grand declares that men are happier than women. Perhaps that is true. They have more to make them happy. They have the women.—*Kansas City Journal.*

— Wife—Do you know of what you remind me? Husband—No; but I know of what you remind me. Wife—What? Husband—Of every little thing I happen to forget.—*Tit-Bits.*

— "She's such a matter-of-fact business-like young woman that I'm surprised she married him. He's not very rich." "No; but he's very old, and he carries a big life insurance."—*Chicago Post.*

— Wanted Substantial Inducement: Proud Mother—"Tommy, won't you say that little speech of yours for the gentleman?" Tommy—"I will if the gentleman has a penny."—*Ohio State Journal.*

A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "gave me a terrible cold and cough. It grew worse daily. Finally the best doctors in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung troubles by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Price, 50 cents. †

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Wilson *Times*: Mr. J. C. Morris informs us that Mr. Bud Newsome was coming from the branch on Thanksgiving day when he saw a covey of partridges under the edge of a log. He reached around after a lightwood knot to throw at them when he found that he had a rabbit by the leg. He threw the rabbit at the birds and killed six of them.

— Rocky Mount *Spokesman*: Last Wednesday night between 12 and 1 o'clock Mr. S. J. Scammel was burned out of a home. The origin of the fire is unknown. When discovered the house was under flames and Mr. Scammel, with his family, barely had time to escape with their lives. A few articles of furniture were dragged out, but by far the greater part was lost.

— Smithfield *Herald*: A peculiar case was tried here this week in which the defendant, a colored gentleman from Cleveland township, swore out a warrant against himself for an offense and pleading guilty was sent to the roads four months. It seems that this "coon" had hae some trouble over in the State of Harnett and rather than go to the Harnett jail he swore out the warrant against himself with above results.

— Carthage *Blade*: While on his wagon and passing the place of D A Shields a few days ago Rev. King discovered a large hawk with a chicken by the road, near enough for Mr. Kiag to strike it with a small switch with which he was driving. The hawk, before being struck, fell upon its back and showed fight with its claws. In the fight which ensued Mr. King whipped the hawk to death with his driving switch. The hawk was very large, measuring three feet and 7½ inches from tip to tip of his wings.

— Charlotte *News*: Mr. J. Edward Curry, of Gastonia, met an untimely death Thursday afternoon. He and Mr. George Jenkins, of Gastonia, were out hunting near the city. Mr. Curry attempted to jump a ditch when the gun discharged, the entire load entering the leg between the knee and thigh. The large artery in the leg was completely severed and the excessive loss of blood and the great shock from the wound proved too much for Mr. Curry's feeble condition. He died about an hour after the acident.

— Sanford *Express*: Mr. J. Van Lindley was in Raleigh the other day and told the Post that he had, during the past season sold from his orchards, embracing about fifty acres at Southern Pines, peaches and berries to the amount of $7,000. A few days ago he was notified by his manager there that there had been gathered from the same orchard lands over four hundred bushels of peas and over one hundred tons of excellent peavine and crab grass hay. Commissioner of Agriculture Patterson says that is far ahead of anything reported to him in the way of farming thisyear.

— Raleigh *News and Observer*: Mr. E L. Daughtridge, of Edgecombe, is perhaps the champion farmer of the State this year. He has 300 acres in cotton, and will make a bale to the acre. "I don't know that I will make 300 bales," said Mr. Daughtridge in his modest way yesterday," but I will make fully 290 bales." —— "I believe when the result is known it will be found that North Carolina has not made half a cotton crop," said Mr. Jno. R. Morris, the well known travelling man, who has covered the cotton section of the State. "In the northeastern section of the State the cotton crop is fairly good, but from Goldsboro to Wilmington the people are in want. The strawberry season will, however, improve their condition."

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"Somewhere the grass grows o'er
Some one to whom his heart today
Turns sadly as of yore.
He merely lingers here as one
Who is a transient guest;
His joys are fled, his work is done,
He longs to be at rest—
He longs to bid the world adieu,
To cross the river where
He is to meet the loved one who
Is waiting for him there."

Ah, well! Perhaps 'tis so;
He may have loved and lost;
His breast may be the haunt of woe,
His soul be tempest tossed:
But though his heart is buried deep
Below some slanting stone,
Where some one long has lain asleep,
If he could be alone
For just about an hour or two
With just the one, I'll bet
He'd fire up and learn to do
Some fancy stepping yet.
—*Chicago Record-Herald*

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Services at Southside Baptist church Sunday by Rev. O. W. Triplett at usual hours for morning and night.

Services at Seaman's Bethel this afternoon commencing at 3 o'clock conducted by Rev. A. D. McClure. All persons interested in seamen are invited to attend.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street above Bladen, Rev. C. W. Kegley pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M.; services at 7:30 P. M. All seats free and every person welcome.

Services in St John's Courch second Sunday in Advent, Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield rector—Holy communion 7:45 A. M.: morning prayer and sermon 11 o'clock. Sunday school 3:45 P. M.; evening prayer 5 o'clock.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt, D. D., pastor—German services to day at 11 A. M. English services at 7:30 P. M., Sunday school at 3:30 P. M. Everybody cordially invited.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Great work are but small ones greatly done.

— Truth is the highest thing a man may keep.—*G. Chaucer.*

— Be cheerful. "Let a little sunshine in." A light heart lives long.

— God is not ignorant of his people's sufferings, nor careless about them.

— The man who waits for appreciation generally gets it in the shape of an epitaph.

— Be right in the sanctuary, if you would be right in the market-place.—*Selected.*

— The Covenant of Salvation deals with the inward man, qualifying him for the outward ceremonies.

— Before too severely condemning the scoffer, we should consider whether he has not something to scoff at.

— There is no one who goes to church so regularly as satan. He is always there before the minister, and the last one to leave the church.

— God's goodness hath been great to thee; yet never day nor night unhallowed pass, but still remember what the Lord hath done.—*Shakespeare.*

— To be caught up to meet the Lord in the air would be too much exaltation; it would lift thee too much above the sympathies of the toiling crowd. Better to meet thy Lord in the wilderness than in the air. Thou wilt find Him travelling by the long road—the road to Gethsemane and Calvary.—*Geo. Matheson.*

— We thank thee, O God, for that perpetual spring time with which Thou visitest the human soul. We bless Thee for the sun of righteousness which never sets, nor allows any night there; but, with healing in his beams, shakes down perennial day on eyes that open, and on hearts that, longing, life them up to Thee.—*Theodore Parker.*

— A Little Knowledge Is a Dangerous thing—Village Doctor—"How is your husband to-day, Mrs. Brown?" Mrs Brown—"Oh, ever so much better, doctor, thank you kindly. These last few day he's been uncommon cross, but this morning his temper is quite normal."—*Punch.*

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—360 bales cotton, 7 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1226 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin, 38 barrels tar, 182 barrels crude turpentine.

C. C. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 3 casks spirits turpentine, 23 barrels rosin, 15 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—121 bales cotton, 9 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels tar

Steamer A. P. Hurt—4 bales cotton, 8 casks spirits turpentine, 238 barrels tar, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Compton—18 bales cotton, 29 casks spirits turpentine, 47 barrels rosin.

Steamer Driver—7 bales cotton, 63 barrels tar, 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Carolyne—37 barrels rosin.

Total—1,737 bales cotton, 51 casks spirits turpentine, 124 barrels rosin, 377 barrels tar, 187 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., December 8, 1901.

STEAMSHIPS.

Jessmore, (Br) 1,548 tons, Taylor, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Spennymore, (Br) 1,749 tons, Nairm, Heide & Co.

SCHOONERS.

Abbie G Cole, 232 tons, Cole, George Harriss, Son & Co.

Chas C Lister, 267 tons, Moore, George Harriss, Son & Co.

D J Sawyer, 267 tons, Kelly, George Harriss, Son & Co.

W L Maxwell, 260 tons, Bowden, George Harriss, Son & Co.

J Howell Leeds, 393 tons, Bateman, George Harriss, Son & Co.

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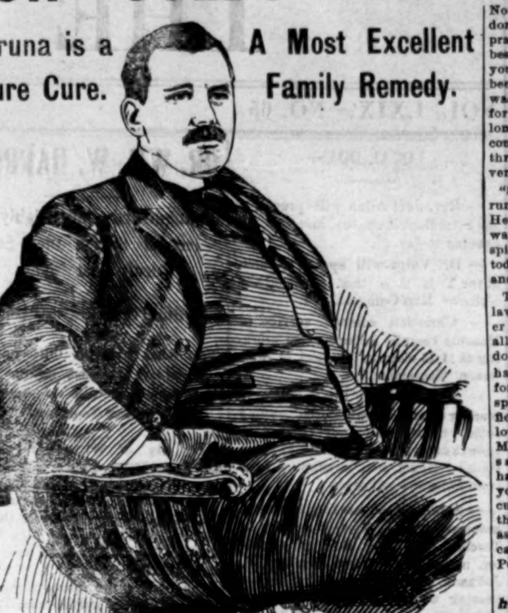

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[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, December 7.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market firm at 95c per barrel for strained and $1.00 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.20 per barrel of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market quiet at $1.10 per barrel for hard, $2.00 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin firm at $1.20@1.25; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine steady at $1.40 @2.40.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	51
Rosin	124
Tar	377
Crude turpentine	187

Receipts same day last year—49 casks spirits turpentine, 285 barrels rosin, 436 barrel star, 149 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 7⅛c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	5	3-16	cts ₩ lb
Good ordinary	6	9-16	" "
Low middling	7	3-16	" "
Middling	7⅝		" "
Good middling	8	1-16	" "

Same day last year, market dull at 9⅝c for middling.

Receipts—1,737 bales; same day last year, 719.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 60c; extra prime, 65c; fancy, 70c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 55@60c.

CORN—Firm; 75@77c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 13@14c; sides, 13@14c.

EGGS—Firm at 20@21c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull. Grown, 20@25c; springs, 10 to 20c.

TURKEYS—Dressed, firm at 10@12½c; live, 8@9c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 50@60c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Money on call was steady, no loans were made to day. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange heavy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼ for demand and 484 for sixty days. The posted rates were 485 and 488½. Commercial bills 483¼@483¾. Bar silver 55⅛. Mexican dollars 43¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds irregular. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 108½; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 109; U. S. 3's, reg'd 108⅜; do. coupon, 108⅜; U. S. 4's, new reg'd, 139¼; do. coupon 139¼; U. S. 4's, old reg'd, 111½; do. coupon, 112½; U. S. 5's, do. reg'd, 107½; coupon, 107½; Southern Railway 5's 121. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 102¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 46½; Manhattan L 135⅞; N. Y. Central 164¾; Reading 48½; do. 1st pref'd 79; do. 2nd pref'd 57¾; St. Paul 163¾; do. pref'd, 185; Southern R'way 32¾; do. pref'd 91½; Amalgamated Copper 66¾; Am'n Tobacco —; People's Gas 98¼; Sugar 120⅜; Tennessee Coal and Iron 62¼; U. S. Leather 11¼; do. pref'd, 81½; Western Union 91; U. S. Steel 41⅝; do. preferred 91⅜; Mexican National 14; American Locomotive 31; do. preferred 88; Standard Oil 699@700; Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., 62½; do. preferred, 132.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 26⅞@27; do. preferred, 50½@58¾; do 4s 85¾@86

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Rosin steady. Strained common to good $1 55. Spirits turpentine quiet at 37½@38c.

CHARLESTON, Dec. 7.—Spirits turpentine firm at 34c; sales — casks. Rosin firm and unchanged.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 7. Spirits turpentine firm at 35⅛c; receipts 402 casks; sales 299 casks; exports 648 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 2,011 barrels; sales — barrels; exports 3,700 barrels

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The cotton market opened firm and up nine to eleven points on very active buying to cover some of the bigger short accounts which withstood the bull movement of the early week. Generous Wall street buying and confident support from enthusiastic room bulls did much to give the market a healthy appearance. Speculation gave many evidences of broadening and commission houses were busy all through the session. While profit taking was indulged in freely on the advance by those investors who were far-sighted enough to buy cotton before the bureau statement made its appearance, the public picked up many moderate amounts of March and May. The dominating influences were bullish cables and reports that Southern spot markets were hardening on urgent demand from exporters. Receipts at the ports were smaller than last Saturday and last year and crop information was decidedly bullish. The weather South was clearing and colder over pretty much the entire belt. The market closed firm, with prices net twelve to fifteen points higher.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Cotton quiet at 8⅜c; net receipts 2,783 bales; gross 4 417 bales; stock 98,767 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 1-16c higher; middling uplands 8⅜c; middling gulf 8⅝c; sales — bales.

Cotton futures market closed firm; December 8.09, January 8.09, February 8.07, March 8.09, April 8.08, May 8.09, June 8.07, July 8.02, August 7.90, September —.

Total to-day—Net receipts 40,292 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,006 bales; exports to France 98 bales; exports to the Continent 24,005 bales; stock 830,936 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 40,292 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,006 bales; exports to France 98 bales; exports to the Continent 24,005 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 3,730,058 bales; exports to Great Britain 1,347,386 bales; exports to France 339,359 bales; exports to the Continent 1,068,752 bales.

December 7.—Galveston, steady at 7⅞c net receipts 13,344 bales; Norfolk, steady at 7 13-16c, net receipts 2 012 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8 5-16, net receipts 656 bales; Wilmington, firm at 7⅝c, net receipts 1,737 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 8⅝c, net receipts 38 bales; Savannah, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 6,679 bales; New Orleans, steady at 7⅞c, net receipts 11,082 bales; Mobile, steady at 7¾c, net receipts 841 bales; Memphis, firm at 7 11-16c, net receipts 2,815 bales; Augusta, firm at 7 15-16c, net receipts 3,484 bales; Charleston, steady at 7 11-16c, net receipts 1,140 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Flour market was fairly active and very firm on the wheat advance; winter straights $3 50 @3 60; Minnesota patents $3 80@4 15. Wheat—spot steady; No. 2 red 87¼c. Options were strong and for a time excited on higher cables, a further scare of shorts and renewed outside buying on a big scale, but later quieted down a little. Closed strong at ¼@⅞c net advance. On the curb May advanced to 87⅜c. Closing quotations were: March closed 86⅝c; May closed 85⅞c; December 84⅛c. Corn—spot market firm; No. 2, 73¼c. Options closed strong and ⅝@¾c higher. Sales included: May closed 72⅞c; December 73c. Oats—spot firm; No. 2, 52c; options market was active and strong. Lard firm; Western steamed $10 10; refined lard steady; continent $10 30; South American $10 75; compound 7⅜@7⅝c. Pork firm; family $17 00@17 25. Tallow steady. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 6 13-16c; mild quiet; Cordova 7½@11c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3⅛c; centrifugal 96 test, 3⅝c; refined steady, with closing quotations: standard A $4 70; confectioners' $4 70; powdered $5 00; granulated $4 90; crushed $5 40; mould A $5 20; cut-loaf $5 40; cubes $5 15. Rice quiet; domestic, fair to extra 4@4½c; Japan 4¾@5¼c. Butter—Market was firm; creamery 16@25½c; State dairy 15@23½c. Cheese steady; late made best large 9¼c; late made best small 10 @10¼c. Eggs quoted steady; State and Pennsylvania 26@27c; Southern at mark 25c. Potatoes were steady; Jerseys $1 50@1 75; New York $1 50@2 12½; Long Island $2 00@2 25; Jersey sweets $2 00@2 75. Cabbage steady; Long Island Flat Dutch, per 100, $3 00@3 00. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 4@4½c; other domestic 2¾@3¼c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 13. Cotton seed oil firm but quiet. The closing quotations were: Prime crude in barrels 36½; prime summer yellow 38¼c; off summer yellow 37½@38c; prime white 40@41c; prime winter yellow 40@41c; prime meal $26 00.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Pandemonium broke in grains to day and with an enthusiasm that has seldom, if ever been equalled, bulls carried everything before them. It was a wild day in the pits, with wheat in the lead and, as on other recent bulges an incessant stream of buying orders, from the country brought the advance. Wheat jumped 3@3½c, corn 1@1½c and oats 1½c. December wheat closed 2⅜@2½c up, May wheat 2½c up; December corn ⅜c higher; May corn 1½c higher and May oats 1½c up. Provisions, 2½ to 15c higher.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Cash quotations: Flour strong; winter patents $3 50@3 70; straights $3 20@3 50; clears $2 90 @3 20; spring specials $4 20; spring patents $3 35@3 75; straights $3 00@3 25. Wheat—No. 2 spring —; No 3 spring 75@75⅛c; No. 2 red 80@83¼c. Corn—No. 2 —; No. 2 yellow 68⅝@68¾c. Oats—No 2 48c; No. 2 white 49½ @50⅛c; No. 3 white 49@50c. Mess pork, per barrel. $15 80@15 90. Lard, per 100 lbs., $9 77½@9 80. Short rib sides, loose, $8 45@8 60. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $7 25@7 50. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 85@8 95. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 32.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 December 77½ 77¾, 78½, 76⅜@76½, 78⅜c; May 80⅝ @81¼, 83, 80½, 82⅝c; July 81, 82⅝, 80½, 82¼c. Corn—No. 2 December 65¼@65⅜, 65⅛@65⅝, 64⅝, 64⅞c; May 68¼ 68@68¼, 69, 68½, 69c; July 68¼ @68⅜, 68¼, 67⅞, 68⅝c. Oats—December 46¼, 46¼, 45⅜, 46⅝c; May 46@46⅜, 47⅛, 46, 47⅛c; July 41⅝@ 42, 42¼, 41, 42¼c. Mess pork, per bbl —January $16 67½, 16 87½, 16 60, 16 85; May $17 00, 17 32½, 17 00, 17 25. Lard, per 100 lbs—January $9 70, 9 80, 9 65, 9 80; May $ 80, 9 87½, 9 72½, 9 87½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—January $8 45, 8 57½, 8 45, 8 57½; May $8 62½, 8 75, 8 60, 8 72½.

NORFOLK, Va., December 7.—Peanut market dull; fancy 2⅜c; strictly prime 2⅛c; prime 2@2⅛c; Spanish —c; machine-picked —c. New peanuts, fancy 2⅜c; strictly prime 2⅛@2⅝c; prime 2⅛c; Spanish 60c.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 7, 4:30 P. M.—Cotton: Spot, limited demand; prices 1-32d higher; American middling fair 4 24-32d; good middling 4½d; middling 4 17-16d; low middling 4 7-16d; good ordinary 4 5-16d; ordinary 4 1-16d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 3,600 bales American. Receipts 35,000 bales, including 23,800 bales American.

Futures opened quiet and closed firm; American middling (g. o. c.) December 4 26-64@4 27-64d seller; December and January 4 25-64d seller; January and February 4 23-64@4 24-64d buyer; February and March 4 23-64d seller; March and April 4 22-64@4 23-64d seller; April and May 4 22-64d buyer; May and June 4 22-64d buyer; June and July 4 22-64d seller; July and August 4 21-64@4 22-64d buyer; August and September 4 17-64d seller.

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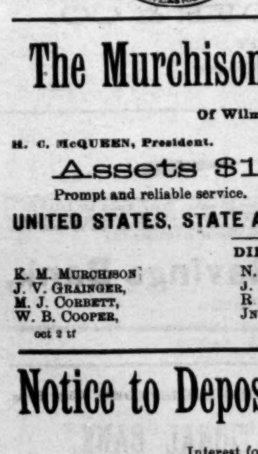

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FRANK H STEDMAN, Sheriff New Hanover County.

NAME.	Block	LOT.	Tax and Cost.
A			
Abbott, Elizabeth	92	w m 1 2 3	7 78
Adrian, Mrs C	129	w 1 2	
do do	187	m 1 2 3 w m 1 2	149 93
Alderman, Alice G	156	e pt 5	14 88
Alexander, Marinda	147	e m 3	3 33
Allen, A J	541	s e 6	
do do	541	n w ¼ 1	4 46
Anderson, H J	70	e pt 4	4 54
do William	58	e pt 3 4	5 80
Andrews, A J	540	s w 6	5 97
B			
Bailey, E P	139	w ¼ 6	61 73
Baker, Laura	350	w 4	2 32
Bannerman, W T	309	all 2	
do do	204	e & e m 1	71 78
Barfield, Genl	337	pt 2 3	4 14
Burge, Ben C, guard	350	pt w m 3 4	3 11
Barry, Matilda	140	n w ¼ 5	3 33
Bell, Jane	124	e & 19 e m 1	
do	37	e m 1	7 79
Bell, hrs Sutton	59	w m 6	3 73
Bell, Thos F	42	w ¼ 5	2 73
Bennett, hrs John	309	e 5	3 73
Berry, Richard	241	¼ int e 4 m 5	4 54
Best, R W	207	e 4	10 21
Betts, Elizabeth	327	e m 1 2	2 92
Biddle, hrs Julia A	78	w 1 2 3	5 55
Bishop, Ephraim	238	e m 1 2	7 78
Bishop, hrs Mary E	213	s w 1	3 73
Blackwell, hrs Betsy	48	e 3 4 5	5 76
Blackwell, Martha J	308	w end 5	3 33
Blake, A E	64	e 4 5	3 73
Blocker, A A and Mary C	541	e 2	4 94
Bloom, Wm H	81	e ¼ 3	15 07
Blount, Hannah	281	e m 4 5	6 97
Boatwright, Annie T	129	w 1 2	27 75
Body, Frank P	136	e pt 2	
	137	e pt 2	6 36
Bond, Miss Sophia	227	m 5	4 54
Boone, Thos	183	w ¼ 3	
do do	98	m 5 6	5 73
Bordeaux, L D	45	e 6	
do do	32	w ¼ 3	5 75
Bowden, hrs L H	169	e m 1 2	17 50
do do Sarah C	181	w end 5	17 09
Bowen John P	329	e p 4 5	3 73
do Martha	281	e 4 5	3 33
Bowens, Stephens	198	w 3	4 14
Boykin Julia A	169	w m 1	3 73
Bradley, John A	308	s w ¼ 2	7 38
Brady, D J	91	w m 1	
do do	47	w 1	8 39
Branch, O R	489	e 1 2	11 43
Bradley, hrs Lucy	80	s w ¼ 6	3 33
Bright, John	212	e 2 2	4 95
Brown, A L	263	w m 1	3 13
do hrs Elizabeth	67	e end 6 pt 5	3 33
do E A	157	e m 4 5	4 95
Brown, Georgiana	350	e 1 2	1 71
do John	540	pt 4	4 37
do John H	582	e ¼ 6	1 51
do John H	280	e ¼ 5	4 95
do do do	240	w 1	8 79
do William	351	w m 5	3 94
do W H T	314	pt 5	4 14
Bryan, Benj J	50	w m 1	5 53
Bryant, David	93	e m 1 2	
do do	105	w m 6	8 39
Bryan, Rachel A	308	w m 1	2 73
do Sallie	50	e 1 e m 2	3 12
Bryant, Lewis	81	e 5	6 16
Bullock, D W	206	e 3	28 44
Bunting, L M	218	s e ¼ 4	18 52
Burnett, Allison	119	s w ¼ 4	3 33
Burriss, Owen C	33	w ¼ 3	5 15
Burton, Minerva	253	w 3	3 73
Byrd, J M	18	n m 1	5 11
do Edward	82	w p 5 6	3 33
Burke, James H	266	1-5 int e ¼ 1 2 pt 3	7 25
Baskerville, Rich'd	350	w ¼ 1	4 14
C			
Capeheart, W H	292	n w 4	
do	540	s e 2	7 49
Carr, Isaac	200	s e 4	6 57
Carter Matilda B	52	pt w end 6	
do	119	n w ¼ 5	5 55
Carter, hrs Sam	339	e m 5	2 53
Casteen, J B	81	e 6	4 45
Chadwick, D N	143	w w ¼ 3	35 53
Childs, hrs Horace	98	w m 1 2	3 73
Clark, Sam	536	n e ¼ 2	2 11
Clinton, Mildred	281	n w ¼ 3	3 73
Coles, Alex	236	e m 5	4 95
Collins, hrs Sarah A	236	e ¼ 4	3 73
Corbett, W F	265	s w ¼ 4	9 81
do W H	71	e 6	4 54
Cordell, E H	256	n w ¼ 3	2 53
do hrs Phillis	309	e m 1	2 11
Collins, Mrs Jane E	104	e 1	5 76
Council Timon	327	e 4	2 73
Cowan, D S trustee	177	e 1	66 91
do hrs Sam	226	s e ¼ 3	2 92
do S P Liv'y Co	179	w end 3	54 36
Craig, S F	204	s e ¼ 2	15 88
Cronlnburg, Caroline	194	w 4	17 50
Culpepper, Mary A	73	e m 1 2	5 15
D			
Davis, Alice	149	s w ¼ 3	3 73
Davis, Betsy Ann	119	e m 1 2	4 54
Davis, Chas R	1	n w 5	9 81
Davis, C A	74	pt 1 2	6 16
Davis, Fred	482	w 3	6 97
Davis, H A	309	e 2	5 76
Davis, Hattie	83	s w ¼ 5	1 71
Davis, James H	252	e m 1	3 73
Davis, John H	119	e m 1 2	5 56
Davis, Lucy	226	s e ¼ 2	2 52
Davis, Maggie	147	w 5 6	3 33
Davis, Rebecca	326	w 2	2 53
Davis, Tony	540	s w ¼ 4	4 14
Davis, Wesley	46	w 5 6	4 95
DeLoach, Jane	283	pt n w 1	2 11
DeRosset, A L	140	pt w ¼	17 50
DeVane, W M	288	e 3 4 5	3 53
Dixon, Grace P	266	e m 1	3 33
Dixon, Sophia	56	w 4	2 51
Donaldson, Miles	239	s pt 1	6 57
Doscher, Robert	65	e ¼ 5	3 73
Dudley, hrs Dolly	51	n w 4	2 72
Dudley, hrs Violet	349	e m 3 4	2 32
Dunn, hrs R B	184	w pt 5	26 82
Donaldson, Calista	226	e ¼ 1	4 95
E			
Easterling, Lavina	349	w 3 w m 5	2 11
Edwards, Annie B	294	n e 4	4 67
Ellers, Rebecca	76	e m 1 2	5 76
Elder, James	175	pt e ¼ 4	10 82
Ellerby, hrs B K	162	e 3 4	2 52
Ellison, Alexander	56	n e ¼ 4	1 50
Ellison, Sophia	38	m 6	1 50
Ennett hrs M F	118	m ¼ 2	9 40
Epps, Henry	239	n e ¼ 4	4 75
Evans, Isaac C	283	pt n w 3	4 95
Evans, hrs Julius	37	n w ¼ 5	
do	256	w ¼ 5	5 96
Evans, Katie M	104	e ¼ 2	6 16
Evans, Mary L	104	e ¼ 4	5 38
Everett, Richard	309	e m 1 2	2 11
Love and Charity			2 11
Evergreen Tabernacle	106	pt 5	7 78
F			
Faircloth, M and wife	531	w ¼ 5	2 11
Farrow, Augusta	264	e ¼ 4	6 57
Farrow, Mary E	51	w 3	8 53
Fennell, mrs E J	196	n e 2	11 83
Flanagan, Ed J	230	w 3	16 97
Fleet, mrs C	104	w 1	13 45
Foreman hrs Thos A	186	e pt 2 3	
do	199	n w 3	1 42
Forrest, J J	103	w 6	7 98
Foy, hrs James	148	e ¼ 1	2 72
Freeman, John T	212	w m 5	2 32
Freeman, Virgil A	284	e 5	2 52
Furgeson, hrs Sallie	536	s e pt 2	2 32
G			
Galloway, W A	37	w m 1 2	4 35
Gunzer, Margaret	429	e 3 4 5	
do	419	e pt 4 5	2 31
Gause, E S	327	w m 1	
	e 4	5	5 23
Gause, hrs Lucretia	267	n e 3	3 33
Gavin, Ben	27	n w ¼ 5	3 94
Gerdes, Catherine	66	all 2	
do	66	w end 1	18 60
Gibbs, Geo W	541	n e ¼ pt 6	1 50
Golf Club, buildings on ground			2 52
Grainger, hrs Moses	81	w m 1 2	2 52
Grant, B L, sr	50	n w 2	3 53
Grant, Anna A	177	e 2	
Miss F Lawton	261	e ¼ 2	
Green Henry and	279	w ¼ 3	51 52
J J Jones	31	w 5 6	3 33
Green, Henry	47	e m 3 4 5 6	
do	68	all 2	
do	69	w 2	
do	62	e m 5	
do	37	e ¼ 3	
do	583	all 6	
do	23	n e ¼ 4	
do	98	e 5 6	
do	50	w ¼ 6	
do	95	s e ¼ 4	
do	59	n w ¼ 4	
do	518	all 1	
do	20	n w 1	
do	42	e 1 2 e m 1 2	
do	38	e ¼ 3 m 4 5	25 78
Green, Henry & Jos	502	all 1	
do do	503	w 1	
do do	498	s ¼ 3 all 4 5 6	
do do	489	w 3 4 5 6	6 16
Green, hrs W	103	w ¼ 4	7 38
Green, Wm H	68	w 4 5	10 02
Griffin, Lucy	327	w 3	2 11
Guthrie, Fannie	74	e 6	6 48
Guy Mary M	323	e w ¼ 3	5 35
George, Leon	325	s w ¼ 3	7 87
Gibbon Lodge	171	e 1 2	11 43
H			
Haar, Mrs M J C	103	n w ¼ 3	9 81
Hall, Lorinda	241	m 2	2 92
Hall, Mary F	197	e 1	6 16
Hall, hrs R L	350	pt 3 4 5	
do	187	m 4 5	3 33
Hall, hrs R P	479	w m 1	
do	350	e 3 4	
do	518	w ¼ 5	4 19
Hall, Wm H	27	n e ¼ 1	1 51
Hall, Wm T	106	e pt 5	2 92
Halsey, Elias	27	s e ¼ 1	1 50
Hankins, Mrs M A	231	e 2 3	13 86
Hardwick, Sarah	45	n w ¼ 2	4 54
Harrington, Lewis	31	w ¼ 1	9 40
Harriss, hrs Bristoe	45	e m 3	
do	74	w m 6	5 15
Harriss Joe W	33	s e ¼ 4	4 54
Harris, Lovick	257	w ¼ 4	2 92
Harriss, Mary McI	17	pt 1	
do	527	all	
do	34	w 4	
do	539	all 5	
do	36	all 3 4	
do	37	all	
do	38	pt 3	
do	25	all 2 6	
do	39	all 1	
do	528	pt 5 all 6	
do	27	all 4	
do	28	all 1	
do	14	all 3	17 37
Haywood, Clara	27	n w ¼ 2	1 50
Herring, Mrs M A	99	e 1 2 3	6 77
Hewett, hrs Alex J	209	e 3	15 [illegible]
Hewlett, mrs Martha	117	w 1	11 [illegible]
Hill, Alda & Allen H	347	e m 4	5 [illegible]
Hill, Caroline S	238	w 1 2 3	3 5[illegible]
Hill, Chas H	186	w 2	5 7[illegible]
Hill, hrs Mingo C	48	n w 3	2 31
Hill, hrs Virgil	97	s e ¼ 4	4 75
Hill, hrs W D	98	w 3	6 16
Hinton, E L	87	n w ¼ 4	1 71
Hooper, Geo H	367	e 5	3 33
Hooper, Geo H	91	e 3	
do	160	e m 3 4 5	
do	297	e ¼ 3 pt 4	17 09
Hooper, James D	238	w 3 4	2 92
Hooper, Johnson	200	m 4 5	
do	118	n w ¼ 4	
do	160	e m 3 4 5	
do	132	e m 5 6	19 93
Hooper, P M & wife	340	e 1 2	2 52
Hooper, Thos	285	n w ¼ 4	5 56
Howard, Andrew	19m	w ¼ 3 5 w ¼ 3 4	2 11
Howard, John H	34	n e 1	6 57
Howard, Martha	32	n e ¼ 2	2 59
Howard, J Washin'g	32	pt 6	5 15
Huggins, Alex	39	pt 1 2 E 2 3	4 35
Henderson, Betsy	45	e m 6	3 33
I			
Ivery, Carolina A	240	w ¼ 3	4 14
J			
James, miss Hettie	193	pt w end 1	17 50
James, W H	37	e 1	4 95
James, hrs mrs M J	193	w 1 2	7 36
Jarvis, hrs Emeline	559	e 5	4 95
Jenkins, James C	148	e m 1	1 28
Jewell, Kelly W	90	e m 1	8 73
Johnson, Alex	35	w m 1	8 16
Johnson, Alice	193	w m 4 5 6	21 85
Johnson, E F	173	w m 3	
do	139	e m 1 2	
do	139	m 3	36 40
Johnson mrs F A	209	w 1	
do	39	w m 1 2 3	
do	35	e 5	19 41
Johnson, mrs F A & miss M A Cook	219	w m 1	5 55
Johnson, Hannah A	302	s e 3 n e 4	3 97
Johnson, Lizzie	541	n w 5	1 29
Johnson, Robert	336	e 3	4 95
Johnson, W A	156	w ¼ 4	45 85
Johnson, W T	40	s w ¼ 5	4 95
Johnson, Ann M	94	w 4	4 54
Jones, hrs Ben	135	s w ¼ 1	2 92
Jones, John	34	e 3 4	4 74
Jones, John S	186	e ¼ 5 6	4 14
Jones, Lena	240	w 5	4 54
Jones, Maria	240	n w 3 4	3 93
Jones, Moses jr	148	s e 6 6 ¼	4 18
Jones, Pallas	208	e m 3	2 52
Jordon, W A	149	n e ¼ 6	6 03
K			
Kea, hrs Richard	350	m 1	2 31
Keenan, Mary E	486	w 1 2 3	4 54
Kelly, misses J I, A H and J L	191	e 2 3	21 17
Kelly, Lana S	337	w pt 4	3 11
Kertchner, hrs mrs L C	190	m 5 6	
do	165	¼ int e m 1 2	29 57
Ketchum, W A & wife	45	pt e end 6	2 92
King, Benj	351	w 5	1 91
King, Carrie V	210	e m 4 5	7 78
King, Josephine	78	e m 4 5 6 pt 5	
do	50	e end 1 2	
do	84	all 4 5 6	
do	79	w 1 pt 2	15 38
King, Mildred	224	n w ¼ 4	4 95
King, W J	51	m 5 6	5 35
Knowles, J W	41	pt w e 1	8 10
Knox, C O	308	n w m 3	7 28
Krahnke, F H	18	e p 1	
do	60	w 3 w ¼ 3	
do	43	e 1 2	19 89
L			
Lander, Jane	18	e m 1	3 12
Lanier hrs Rhoda	68	m 1	2 11
Larkins, Dolly	336	e 2	2 98
Larrington, hrs Diana	102	e ¼ 5	7 78
do Mary	48	e 3 4 5	4 14
Lathrop, E S	194	s e 3	22 91
Lee, Daniel	490	w 1	
do do	161	e 2 3	6 77
LeGwin, Sarah C	136	p and w end 1 2	6 97
Leonard, Francenia	489	w 3 4 5	
do do	493	e 1 2	3 93
do George	119	s w ¼ 5	3 73
Lewis, Geo, Jr	337	n e 5	4 95
Lilly, Isaac, Jr, and wife	162	s w 1 2	5 76
Livingston, hrs Hariet	217	e m 1 2	2 11
Lloyd, Mike	294	s w 2	6 16
Loftin, Green	27	n e ¼ 2	3 94
do Major	486	w 1 2 3	9 40
Love, Louisa	307	w 2	3 38
M			
Mallett, Alex and Wm	227	w ¼ 1	11 02
Mallett, hrs Chas R	505	e pt 1	11 02
Mallet, Sam P	240	e 1	7 18
Mann, hrs Joanna	68	w 6	4 50
Marshall, A J	37	e ¼ 6	
do do	296	m 3	
do do	81	e 1 2	
do do	296	e 1 2	14 06
Marshall, Mrs S E	173	w m 3 4 5	
	295	m 1 2	18 18
Martin, C M	224	m 4 5	8 19
Martin, Harry	252	w w m 1 2	5 92
Martin, Nellie	187	w 1 2	
	338	n w 1	5 55
Mason, E T	74	e ¼ 5 s e ¼ 6	
	60	e 6	23 80
Mason, Geo A	293	s w ¼ 3	9 00
May, Fennell J	137	n w 2	5 76
Meares, hrs Mrs A C	525	e 1 2 3 4	
do	262	e 1 2 3	
do	277	e 4 5	12 32
Meares, Liedell	294	e 1	
do	38	n e ¼ 2	40 28
Meginney, Mrs L	180	e 3 4 5	38 37
Merrick, Isham	380	e m 1	6 00
Merrick, Sarah A	48	e 3 4 5	3 33
Miller, John	384	e 5	4 95
Miller, Mary J	347	e 5	3 33
Mintz, J W	51	s e ¼ 3	5 82
Mintz, Sam'l H	36	w ¼ 5	8 80
Mitchell, J W	10	e pt 1	5 97
Mitchell, hrs Lucy	294	w 4	4 95
Mohr, Johanna W	176	w p 3 4 5	19 93
Moody, Sam'l M	308	e 1	4 95
Moore J P	161	w p 4 5	5 80
Moore, John W	79	e 1 2	
do	76	e m 3 5	9 73
Moore, Rebecca	255	s w ¼ 3	3 33
Moore, Robert	289	n e ¼ 2	
	262	e 1 2	4 61
Moore, Sarah Jane	241	s w ¼ 4	4 54
Moore, hrs Thos T	269	s w 5	4 54
Morrell, C A	196	n w ¼ 2	7 78
Morgan, hrs Abner	187	e 4 5	4 14
Morris, N	86	e ¼ 3	13 45
Moseley, Washington	297	w 6	5 07
Murray, Julia A	101	e m 6	8 50
Mayo, hrs W E	305	w 3 4 5	40 80
Mc			
McCartney, Laura A	117	n e ¼ 5	6 65
McCartney, Maggie D	52	w 2 3	5 [illegible]
McDonald, Reuben	308	n w 4	3 33
McDuffee, J N	96	w end 6	4 14
McFarland, Elizabeth	218	w 3	30 87
McFarland Joseph	37	n e ¼ 2	
do	66	e ¼ 3	
do	22	all 5 6	7 01
McIntyre, Nancy M	255	w 1	
do	254	e m 1	2 72
McLauchlin, Zeph	70	n w ¼ 3	4 14
McKoy, Robert H	164	e 5	
do	151	w 4	60 68
McNeill, James	284	e m 4 5	4 14
N			
Newkirk, Thos	252	e 1	4 09
Nichols, Elizabeth	335	s w 3 4	2 92
Nichols, R R	55	s e ¼ 3	3 97
Nixon, Bertha	175	w 1	6 16
Nixon June	282	w m 4 5	6 16
Nixon, John D	309	w 4	3 85
Nixon, hrs Prince	479	w 1 2 3	3 94
do	56	w ¼ 3	2 31
Nixon, Robert W	339	w m 5	4 76
Norwood, Vance	230	e m 1 2 3	44 24
Nutt, J O	306	e 5	31 27
D O'Connor, Agent— W P Evans	196	w ¼ 4	5 35
Mrs D Harlen	262	w 3 4 5	6 16
Barsheba Hansley	263	e ¼ 1	15 48
Giles Kornegay	294	w ¼ 5	4 54
Hrs Mrs S E London	280	e 1	3 73
Moore, Polly A	223	n w ¼ 2	4 64
Thomas, John E	34	w ¼ 2	
do	208	e 1	
do	23	e ¼ 4 all 5 e ¼ 6	
do	23	n w ¼ 6	9 20
O			
Owen, Catharine	118	w 6	4 22
O'Sullivan, J P	145	pt e end 6.6 ¼	8 19
P			
Payne, hrs Thomas	281	w ¼ 1	6 16
Peden, Mildred	350	w 3 4	2 11
Perkins, A M	74	w ¼ 5	4 73
Peterson, Edwards	540	s e ¼ 3	4 54
Peterson, E H	187	e 2 3	7 59
Phillips, Lizzie	326	e m 5	2 52
Phinney, hrs Carrie	20	w 2	2 93
Pierce, Andrew	62	w m 1	4 35
Pollock, Hessie	323	m 5	4 95
Potter, Elizabeth	33	n e ¼ 3	2 52
Price, hrs Wm H	240	w m 5	4 14
Q			
Quick, Isham	213	m 1 2	
do	211	e ¼ 3	8 34
Quick, William	211	e m 1	6 55
R			
Randall, hrs Rosanna	351	n w ¼ 2	1 71
Rankin, Mrs E S	125	e 2	20 74
Reaves, B F	38	w 1	6 78
Reaves, J F A	86	w ¼ 4	4 95
Reaves, Louisa	238	e 1	2 97
Reaves, Nathan	296	w 3 4	3 78
Reaves, Mrs M E	87	s e 2	13 05
Reaves, W J	87	e ¼ 4 pt 3	
do	88	w ¼ 2	
do	87	e ¼ 5	
do	87	w ¼ 2	
do	139	n w 6	71 12
Reddy, Harry	59	e m 3 6	4 11
Reed, Isabella	252	w 4 5	1 91
Register, W H	117	s e ¼ 2	10 21
Reed, hrs Sam	265	w 1	
do	69	w 5 all 6	9 60
Reville, R H and F J	31	s e 6	8 80
Richards, E V	147	w ¼ 3 4	11 30
Richardson, Marg't E	326	w 1 2	6 16
Roberts, hrs Gilbert	118	w m 6	4 14
Robinson, Agnes J	39	pt 5	
do	81	n e 1 3	4 17
Robinson, hrs Henry	200	n w 1	2 11
Robinson, W H	27	s e ¼ 5	3 90
Rodderick, John	4	e 4	7 95
Rountree, Dennis	336	e 1 and end 1	
do	337	e m 1 2	5 36
Rowark, Mary G	265	e m 1	6 97
Rowell, mrs Comfort	143	w 3 4	10 24
Rowell, hrs Lucilla	146	s e 3	3 33
Russ, hrs Harriet	59	w 5 6	3 38
S			
Sanders, J W	55	s e ¼ 3	1 51
Saunders, H G & wife	78	m 1 2 3	
do	94	w m 4	11 08
Schulken, E	194	m w 1	23 85
Scopeless, Martha A	80	w m 3	4 14
Scott, Jacob	258	s ¼ 1	4 62
Sellers, W W	292	w ¼ 2	5 16
Sessoms, W & T	34	w ¼ 3	2 32
Sharp, J E	62	pt w m 1	6 54
Sharp J E & W H	62	n w ¼ 2	1 92
Sharp, W H	63	pt w m 1	4 80
Shepard, Joseph	27	n e ¼ 3	3 90
Sherridan, J A	518	all 4	1 71
Sherridan, W B	80	e m 1	7 18
Sidberry, Walter	326	w m 2 3 e m 2 3	3 95
Simmons James	530	n w ¼ 4	3 27
Simmons, Nathaniel	187	e 4 5	4 14
Simmons, Susan	262	e m 2 3	3 36
Skipper, Fred T	263	n w 3	5 76
Sloan, Josh M	309	n e 3	
do	310	s w pt 4	7 58
A Smith, agent— G A Farrow	50	w end 1	4 14
Smith, hrs Lucy	326	s e m 4	2 92
Smith, Peter J	88	e end 1	10 21
Smith, hrs Phillis	222	e m 8	3 73
Smith Wm H	53	e 5	1 71
Sneed, Ida E	100	e 1 2	30 49
Sneeden, Joseph S	61	¼ int e ¼ 3 4	
do	61	e ¼ 2 & e end 1	19 68
southerland, mrs C B	179	w 4	43 23
Stanford, George	541	s w ¼ 2	4 35
Stanley, Wright	33	e m 1 2	3 73
Starkey, Francenia	105	w 6	4 22
Starkey, hrs James	81	w 3 3	2 52
Stewart, John A	541	n w ¼ 3	4 35
Stokes, B C	51	n e ¼ 3	7 18
Strauss, Jessie R	306	pt 3 4	35 30
Surles, Ella L	346	pt 3	11 42
Swann, Louisa C	485	e 1 2 3 4 5	11 99
Swann, Lucy	339	w 4	1 11
Swann, Vrana	76	s n ¼ 2	1 80
Sykes, Taylor	541	n e ¼ 5	3 86
T			
Taylor, Dora	22	w m 5	4 54
Thomas, Mary J	337	e end 1	4 95
Thompson, Jacob	330	w 1	3 33
Tolar, T S	220	w m 1 2	18 18
Toomer, Cupid	227	w 4 5	4 95
Townsend, Susan	198	w 2 3	37 75
Troy, Jane	80	w m 1	6 37
Turner, John H	134	e 5 6	4 29
Turrentine, J R jr	20	w ¼ 2	14 26
do mrs Martha B	150	e 1 3 3	34 51
Tyler, T F	146	w 6 6 ¼	9 21
V			
Van Amringe, hrs M F	80	all 4 5 e ¼ 6	
do	131	w m 1 2 3	42 41
W			
Waddell, Dolly	541	s e ¼ 4	1 51
Waddell, hrs W W	284	w ¼ 5	
do	336	e m 3	
do	348	s e 3 4	
do	360	w ¼ 3	14 86
Walker, Abel	226	w ¼ 2	4 95
Walker, A J	224	pt n w 2	
do	333	e 3 4	
do	39	w m 4 5	
do	291	s w ¼ 5	
do	309	s w 1	
do	326	e m ¼ 3 e m 1 2	
do	324	w 3 4	39 12
Walker, C E	31	e ¼ 5	3 73
Walker Ellen	10	e & w m 1	8 19
Walker, Joe	226	n e ¼ 2	1 82
Walker, Joe F	236	w ¼ 1	6 16
Walker, Margt M	337	w 4 5	2 73
Ward, Alice	63	w 1	5 56
Watters, Amy	236	e 1	2 92
Watters, Eliza	236	e m 2	2 52
Webster, Daniel	294	n w 2	5 76
West hrs S M	180	w 2	34 51
Westbrook & Wright	500	all 2 3 4 5 6	
do	501	all 2 3 4 5 6	
do	504	all	
do	505	all	7 17
Whealdon, hrs Wm	135	e 6	2 92
White, Alford	291	s w ¼ 4	6 57
Wiggins, mrs A M	127	e 5 6	26 41
Wilkins, Malinda	46	e 3	4 14
Williams, hrs Daniel	339	e m 2 3 4	3 73
Williams, Edward	255	n w ¼ 2	
do	240	e 5	5 96
Williams, hrs Leah	351	e m 4 5	1 11
Williams, hrs L M	169	w m 1	8 80
Williston, F P	23	s w ¼ 3	
do	50	w ¼ 3	3 35
Winfield, Ferdinand	212	w m 5	2 52
Wise, Sarah E	67	e m 5 6	6 48
Wooland, J M	264	e ¼ 3	12 24
Worth, mrs Nellie S	233	w m 4 5 pt 3	25 60
Wright, Geo A	541	n w ¼ 5	3 90
Wright, Harriett and Eliza Davis	32	n e ¼ 4	3 43
Wright, Lottie A	80	s w ¼ 4	3 33
Y			
Yarborough, Annie E	88	e and e m 1	6 78
Yopp, mrs E H	104	w m 1	5 35
Z			
Zollaa, August H	77	e m 1 2	7 38

Delinquent, Wilm'gton Township.

NAME.	Block	Description.	Tax and Cost.
B			
Baldwin, W A and W A & G W Chesnut	83	s e ¼ 5	1 92
Butts, F A	540	s m ¼ 2	1 46
Brown, hrs James	296	w 1 2	2 11
Barber, hrs Alex	137	s w ¼ 1	2 52
Burke, A A	237	w 1 2	1 91
C			
Cutlar, DuBrutz	38	n e ¼ 2	
do	523	pt w ¼ 5	
do	349	w m 5	
do	89	e ¼ 4	
do	174	e m & w m 3 4 5	
do	309	w m 5	
do	349	w m 4 5	
do	137	n w ¼ 4	
do	137	s e 2 n e 3	
do	148	e ¼ 5 6 n e ¼ 6 ¼	
do	327	s w ¼ 4	
do	279	w m 1	
do	37	pt s e ¼ 2	
do	47	e m 1	
do	20	w m 1	
do	51	e ¼ 3	
do	280	w ¼ 1	
do	68	all 3	
do	51	s e ¼ 3	
do	483	m 1 2 3 4 5	
do	52	n e 4	94 42
Cutlar, DuBrutz, agt	102	w m 1 2	11 43
D			
Davis, hrs Tony	45	e p 4	2 92
Daniels, C H	52	e 1 2 3	5 96
Daniels, hrs James	52	e ¼ 5	4 14
E			
Evans, Jubal	161	e end 4 5	6 16
F			
Farrow, hrs Ben	78	e m 3 4	1 71
Fitzgerald, hrs John	282	e 1 2	6 57
G			
Green, Margaret and Maria Howard	105	w m 6	1 91
H			
Hankins, hrs Abrah'm	160	w end 3 4	5 35
Herring, Geo T	583	w ¼ 4	1 91
J			
James, Jackson	209	e ¼ 5	9 40
Jenkins, Maria	199	w 1	2 92
Jones, George	326	e 3 4 5	3 33
Jones, Ruthy	226	e 5	4 54
Jory, Matilda	269	e m 5	1 75
L			
Lewis, J Warren	163	e 3 4	2 52
Livingston, hrs Annet	149	e m 1 2 3	3 33
Lloyds, hrs Alfred	226	e 5	4 95
Lowrey hrs Jas A and DuBrutz Cutlar	224	w m 5	4 95
M			
Mitchell, Wm Henry	252	m 5	6 57
Mc			
McFarland, Morris	337	e 1	1 71
McCaskill, R C	17	n e ¼ 1	2 12
McQueen, E W	58	w m 4 5	2 52
N			
Nash, hrs Henry	226	e 4 5	2 11
Newkirk, Isham	283	e m 1	5 35
Nixon, Rosa	388	e 5	3 32
P			
Pickett, Lucy	69	e pt 1	1 71
Price, W Eugene	475	m 3 4 5	3 23
R			
Ramsey, Thos J	35	n w ¼ 4	3 93
Russ, hrs Nelson	349	w pt 5	2 92
S			
Shepard, Davis	40	n w ¼ 5 ¼ 1	4 75
Simms, Sarah	327	pt 2 3	1 71
Summers, L'and wife	135	pt w ¼ 5 6	1 91
Smith, Susan	342	s w 3	2 92
T			
Tatnall, hrs Edwd	119	s e ¼ 4	2 52
Thomas Frank	339	e 3	4 14
W			
Whitehead, Z W	127	w pt 2 3	
do	126	w pt 1	29 57
Ward, Francis	46	e 5 6	2 11
Washington, Rich'd A	148	e end 6	6 57
Williams, Jane	147	e m 6 6 ¼	3 73

Federal Point Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost.
B			
Bates, mrs L M Bates		lt Carolina Beach	1 50
Brinkley, James B	40	adj W R Lewis	2 92
C			
Clark, C J		lt Carolina beach	1 71
Clark, J F		lt Carolina beach	1 70
D			
Davis hrs Joseph	30	J T Biddle tract	3 13
F			
Farrow, Frank sr	18	adj Turley	2 31
H			
Harriss, hrs Julia O	1715	adj A Harriss & others	8 18
Haws, hrs Anthony A	296	296 w A McNeil tract	
do	44	Piney Island	4 13
J			
James, W W	39	adj F Farrow	5 98
Johnson, Wiley	49	adj Thos Newton	2 59
K			
King, Wm J	50	adj Jas English	2 11
M			
Mintz, J W	16	adj W J Harriss	3 12
McKechan, M C	10	adj Bender	
do	30	Banks	2 16
P			
Patrick, C		lt Carolina beach	1 51
R			
Robinson John	18	adj Lewis Wade	2 72
Robinson, O A		lt Carolina beach	1 51
S			
Segeley Hall Club		club house, beach	13 45
Southerland, Hiram	114	A Teachy tract	
do	70	Banks Land	3 13
Sutherland, Jas D	228	adj H Southerla'd	
do	118	Banks Land	3 44
T			
Taylor & Co	25	M L Craig tract	4 74
Teachy, A M	75	Banks Land	
do	114	adj J D Southerland	8 16
U			
United States Sons & Daughters Union	114	adj Skey's	
do	B3	Banks Land	3 57
W			
Webster, John D		lt Carolina beach	3 32
Winne, Callie L	54	Banks Land	1 51

Delinquent in Federal Point Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description	Tax and Cost.
Brady, Capt and J D Currie	300	adj Freeman	6 16
Cochran, J N	86	adj McKethan, Banks land	
do	74	adj McKethan, Banks land	8 17
Craig, hrs Jas N	84	adj Wm Grissom	1 71
Craig, M T	35	adj Newton	2 11
Schroeder, J A		lot on Carolina Beach, adj J M Craigh	
do	25	lot on Carolina Beach, adj J M Craigh	6 97

Masonboro Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
B			
Beery, hrs Ann	300	Silver Lake	4 64
Bryan, L A	465	Smith tract	7 78
H			
Harriss, hrs Julio O	300	Feb Pt road	4 54
L			
Leazier, Augustus jr		1-5 int in 100 acres on Masonboro s'd	2 98
M			
Mohr, mrs A E	44	on sound	
do	10	Marsh land	6 56
McKetchan, A E	114	adj Chas Craig	5 85
McKoy, Maria A	15	adj J H Holett	3 33
R			
Russ, W R	10	adj Redd	4 95
W			
Williams, J S	95	adj Montford	13 45
Wiggins mrs Anna	2	sound place	1 71

Delinquents in Masonboro Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Craig, D B	9	adj Fergus	1 62
Hart & Bailey, hrs	197	Cape Fair river	6 97
Styne, L Z	283	pt Morris tract	8 09

Cape Fear Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
A			
Asock, Puss	200	adj Heyer	5 75
Allen, E O	6	pt Miller tract	1 58
B			
Bivins Frances	3	adj A Moore	1 71
Butgwin, hrs Hill	1964	Hermitage	18 45
C			
Cattin L S		Smith's creek	82 30
Cowan Ida	90	adj Hermitage	
do	25	adj Hanberry	
do	25	Rock Hill	7 18
D			
Davis, George	10	Rock Hill	2 02
E			
Edward Marshall	8	adj Bear	3 43
F			
Fonville Jerry	100	adj Rocky run	6 16
H			
Hansely, O D	6	adj A J Grady	
do	150	adj J F Hines	
do	100	adj Hryer	
do	10	adj Hines	8 10
Henderson, hrs H'n'y	78	adj Hermitage	5 35
Hooper, Fred	13	adj Sam Peebles	2 70
Hooper, Thos	1	Rock Hill	1 46
J			
Jacobi, Robert	5	adj D Williams	1 51
Johnson, mrs F A	67	pt Fairfield	25 30
Jordon, R J	5	adj Worth	4 99
L			
Letley, Alex	100	adj Blossom	2 81
M			
Mallett, W P	25	adj Eliza Jones	2 92
Montgomery hrs R'd	24	Acorn branch	2 73
McGill, Lucy A	1	adj J A Gill	1 50
McIntyre, Sam	30	adj Oakley	3 17
N			
Nixon, Levy	5	adj H C Wright	3 64
O			
Oli, Douglas	7	adj Worth	
do	3	adj Julia Day	
P			
Peebles, Warren	5	adj H C Wright	4 41
Potter, Sarah	2	adj Rock Hill	1 58
R			
Ripley, Willie	28	J C Bizzell tract	6 16
S			
Sharpless, Mary	18	adj Sturgeon cr'k	2 51
Spellman, Andrew	3	adj Andrew Moore	4 09
St George, John W	8	adj Risbon	2 75
Stewart, C M, trustee	50	on N E river	21 55
W			
Walker, hrs Martha	5	adj Worth	1 70
Wilber, Mary	5	adj E McGuire	1 71
Wilber, Sarah	5	adj M Wilber	1 71
Williams, Emanuel	10	adj Bu Bryant	1 81
Williams Janey	5	adj Rock Hill	1 70
Wilson, Mary	17	adj Morgan	2 92

Delinquent in Cape Fear Township.

NAME.	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Bowden, hrs J O	8	Point Peter	2 52
Davis am	25	DeRosset Branch	3 33
Gusta, Anna	3	pt Spel man pl'ce	1 87
Hendon or Herndon, H A	5	Rock Hill	1 71
Jones, Hillery	5	adj Montgomery	1 63
Laspyre, Ben or I Burke	11	Rock Hill	2 11
Sedgwrar, Fanny J	90	DeRosset branch	6 97
Smith Dan	98	Island creek	2 11
Williams, Thos S	40	adj Quelch	1 71
Larkins, W W Guad	300	pt Richard tract	2 92

Harnett Township.

NAME	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
B			
Ballard, Richard	7	Lemmon place	3 73
Beery, hrs Ann E	320	adj Woody	11 06
Bradham, Henrietta	10	adj R W Smith	4 14
Butt, A L		Cottage on W'gt'sville B'ch	3 93
Bryant, David		pt Lewis Nixon lt	1 91
C			
Campbell, John	2	pt Bradley tract	3 36
Carney, R N	6	adj T B Carney	4 71
Chadwick, D N	17	East Wilmington pt Nobles tract	
do	20	East Wilmington pt Nobles tract	28 72
Cowan, T B		house and lot adj Klein, East Wilmington	3 38
D			
DuBurnsy, William	1	pt Allen tract	4 94
E			
Edens, C H	6	East Wilmington	7 14
Ennett, hrs W J	326	home place	7 78
H			
Hall, Edward	3	East Wilmington	5 55
Harriss, Geo agt	3	pt Badham tract	
do	17	Mosquito Hall	
do	5600	Sanders tract	
do	109	homestead	101 23
Hines, Church	2	pt Bradley tract	4 41
Hines, John E	19	pt Maffitt's land	6 20
J			
Jones, Hyman	5	pt Allen tract	5 27
Jones, Mary J	84	adj Sanders	4 11
Jones, Nancy		lot pt Allen tract	2 75
K			
Kenan, Mary E	12	Smith's Creek	
do	43	Monk place	26 11
Kelly, Joseph	1	pt J S Allen tract	4 22
Ketchum, hrs C C	26	adj Giles Westbrook	3 48
L			
Larrington, Stella	½	near 1st toll gate	2 62
Loftin, hrs Mag	2	pt Bradley tract	4 58
M			
Martin, John	2	pt Bradley tract	3 65
Marshall, B H	1	oppo Carr cottage	2 11
Mason, J F	1	East Wilmington	
do	8	Eugene Edens tract	14 70
Monk, John W	123	pt Monk tract	25 68
Moore, Thos	18	adj J Nixon	5 37
McKoy, R H	25	on Hewlett's creek	
do	50	adj Williamson	3 85
N			
Nichols, James	6	adj Galloway	2 72
Nixon, Anthony	64	pt Everett land,	
	30	adj Jas Grant,	
	8	adj Jas Lowery	8 48
Nixon, Jordan	78	adj Alexander	10 66
Northrop, Mrs A M	8	on Greenville,	
do	50	on Greenville, Pearsall tract	23 62
P			
Poisson, Mrs F C		Seaside Park	79 47
Pritchard, L L		lot ot Summer Rest	2 11
R			
Riggs, C S	27	East Wilmington	9 67
S			
Sidberry, Sarah	3	pt Allen tract	2 34
Sneeden, J S	1	Cedar Island	1 50
St George, Marg't	40	C H Alexander	3 53
Stokeley, Mrs M A	12	Wrightsville	17 91
Suggs, Ed	30	adj W A Wright	5 15
Swann, Louisa	15	adj R W Smith	7 54
W			
Walker, Maria G	800	adj Humphreys	36 00
Westbrook, Giles	110	Grant tract	27 81
Westbrook & Wright	41	pt Wright land	8 13
Weston, Frank	1	oppo 1st toll gate	5 15
Whitlock, C M		lot Wrightsville Beach	8 19
Wilkinson, Frank	12	adj C H Alexander	4 75
Williams, Frank	2	pt Bradley lan'd	5 35
Williamson, Eliza	11	pt Sanders tract	2 11
Wilmington Coast Turnpike Co		road bed	42 20

Delinquent in Harnett Township.

NAME	Acres	Description.	Tax and Cost.
Black, hrs A R	½	interest in Black place	10 05
Cutlar, DuBrutz		house and lot, Wrigtsville	25 20
Highsmith, J H	105	Tompkins place, pt Wm Bellamy	
do	20	Tompkins place, pt Wm Bellamy	3 28
Holt, W L		lot on Wrights Beach	16 29
Twining, H C		lot on Wrightsville Beach	1 91
VanAmringe, Fanny		lot on Wrightsville Beach	2 92
Wright Marion and Emple		pt Seaside Park	5 85

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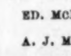

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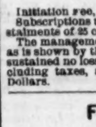

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Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	5.00 a m

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Ar Norlina	3.50 a m	11.05 p m	
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Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	7.25 a m	7 40 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 10 a m	10.15 a m	11.00 a m
Ar Norlina	3 30 a m	11.55 a m	1 05 p m
Ar Petersburg	5 54 a m	2 26 p m	4 55 p m
Ar Richmond	6 35 a m	3 05 p m	5 45 p m
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Ar Baltimore	11 25 a m	11.25 p m	11.35 p m
Ar New York	4.25 p m	6 30 a m	7 30 a m

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Time Table No. 16.

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GOING EAST 3 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST 4 Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	....
....	4 52	Kinston	10 12	....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 02	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 27
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 3.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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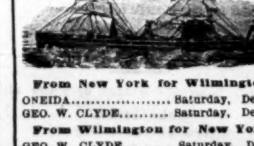

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6 30 P. M.	5 15 P. M.

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SUNDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 8.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Missionary Conference at Rochester, N. Y.—Young Men Needed for Work at Home and Abroad.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Dec. 7.—The Episcopal Missionary Conference came to an end to-night.

The conference, in the opinion of those who are closest in touch, has brought out distinctly the following things:

First. The Episcopal Church has a pre-eminent call to mission work in Latin-American lands.

Second. It sadly needs young men for its mission work, both at home and abroad.

Third. Its present supply of funds for prosecuting its present mission work and for entering upon its larger opportunities is utterly inadequate.

Fourth. The laity and even some of the bishops and clergy are responsible for the apathy which prevails through out the church toward missions.

Fifth. The church at large needs a revival, a fresh baptism of the holy spirit and systematic instruction, in order that zeal for mission work may be aroused, stimulated and sustained.

Sixth. The men of the church should be systematically organized for the purpose of coming to the aid of the missionary cause and sharing the burdens which have so long rested upon the women and children.

There has been no effort to minimize or gloss over these difficulties and faults in the conference.

BOOKER T. WASHINGTON.

Was Refused Room at Three Hotels in Springfield, Mass.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS, December 6.—Booker T. Washington was refused a room at three Springfield hotels last night. He finally secured accommodations at the Russell Hotel. The incident has resulted in considerable comment; the hotels which turned the famous negro educator away are the leading houses of the city. The proprietors claimed to-day that Washington had been refused accommodation because there were no vacant rooms.

"If Washington was turned away it was because the hotels were crowded," said the clerk of another hotel. Clerks on duty in other hotels last night say they had rooms at their disposal at the time at which Washington arrived in Springfield.

An effort is being made to suppress the story, Washington, who is now in Boston, having requested that nothing be printed of the matter.

HEAD-END COLLISION.

Freight Trains Wrecked--Two Men Killed and Two Others Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Dec. 7.—A head-end collision between heavily loaded freight trains on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, early this morning, resulted in the death of two men—Fireman Mender of the west bound train and an unknown tramp. A brakeman of the same train was fatally burned and scalded. Engineer Smith was cut and bruised. The collision occurred between Nuttall and Fayette stations, and it is said was caused by a telegraph operator forgetting to deliver his orders. Both engines were almost demolished and a number of cars was derailed.

MRS. BONINE'S TRIAL.

Lengthy Argument by Counsel Over Hypothetical Questions.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Counsel for the defence in the trial of Mrs. Lola Ida Bonine, for the murder of James Seymour Ayres, Jr., to day precipitated a lengthy argument over the right to ask an expert witness hypothetical questions bearing on the big wound of Ayres. The court direct the jury to retire during the discussion. The defence stated that it would endeavor to show by the witness, Dr. W. P. Carr, that the government's contention that Ayres received his wound at long range was wholly untenable from the very nature of the wound. The court will render its decision Monday.

AN UGLY PROPHECY.

Lord Kitchener's Comment Upon a Caricature of South African Situation.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—A letter just received from an officer in South Africa says that a subaltern drew a caricature of Lord Kitchener as Rip Van Winkle leading a centenarian soldier up a kopje. A staff officer showed it to General Kitchener and "the chief gave one of his grim smiles and said: 'It is an ugly prophecy, but if necessary we will hang on here until we are that age. Our duty is to win and we will.'" The subaltern was paralyzed with terror until assured that Kitchener had not asked for the artist's name.

LYNCHING IN LOUISIANA.

Negro Desperado Hanged by a Mob at Lake Charles.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LAKE CHARLES, LA., Dec. 7.—Saul Poydras, a negro, who cut chief Deputy Sheriff Richard and wife seriously Thursday night, was lynched here this morning. Poydras was arrested at Welsh and the officers were about to lodge him in the parish prison when a mob overpowered the guard, took charge of Poydras and hanged him to an electric light pole.

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THE ISSUE MAY BE A PARTY ONE.

Legislation Necessary to Meet Exciting Conditions in the Philippines.

AN IMPORTANT CONFERENCE

Held Yesterday at the War Department. Problem Presented Not Easy of Solution in View of Recent Decision of Supreme Court.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec 7.—An important conference was held at the War Department to day in regard to the legislation necessary to meet fiscal conditions in the Philippines as a result of the recent insular decisions of the Supreme Court. There were present Secretary Root, Senators Lodge and Platt, of Connecticut, and Representatives Payne and Dalzell.

During the afternoon Senator Spooner called at the War Department and talked with Secretary Root about the legislative necessities of the Philippines. It appears that the problem presented is not as easy as was supposed when it was thought that a single joint resolution could be put through Congress within a few days to continue practically existing tariff rates as to Philippines exports and imports. Some members of the Ways and Means committee see difficulties growing out of the existence of an export tax in the islands, and there is much apprehension that the issue may be made a party one, with the result that there will be a bitter struggle at least in the Senate, if not in the House, before satisfactory legislation can be held. It is the expectation, however, that after hearing from all of the leaders, Secretary Root will be able to perfect a plan of action by Tuesday, when the House next meets. It is learned that in the course of the conferences to-day, Secretary Root took advantage of the opportunity to talk freely with his callers about the pressing needs of Cuba and to urge early action upon legislation along the line recommended in his last annual report.

FEDERAL AND STATE COURTS IN CONFLICT.

Judge Speer Overseis the State Laws of Georgia—The Matter of a Receivership the Trouble.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MACON, GA., Dec. 7.—Federal and State courts came into sharp conflict to-day over a receivership. Judge Speer of the former had demanded that Receiver T. J. Carling, appointed by Judge Felton of the latter, should turn over all property in his hands as such receiver to the United States marshal. Limit of time for so doing was fixed at 10 o'clock to-day. Carling's attorney came into court and asked to be heard on a petition of revision and review. He was instantly asked if Carling had obeyed the court's mandate. The reply was that he had not. Whereupon Judge Speer immediately ordered Carling's arrest in contempt and further directed that he be taken and confined in the jail at Savannah. Carling's attorneys were thunderstruck. They abandoned further argument and went into consultation in view of the intimated immediate execution of the order. Before they had concluded, Judge Speer announced that the execution would be delayed ten days, in ordsr that Carling's attorneys might have a chance to go before the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans.

Carling is one of the most prominent men in Georgia and has national prominence as a mason and knight of pythias. This is the third time in ten days that Judge Speer has overset State laws.

THE WESTMORELAND TRAGEDY

Herbert Marx in Washington With Friends Last Thursday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, December 7.—Herbert Marx, the young man who shot and killed two men and mortally wounded a third, near Oak Grove, Va., last Tuesday night, and who is reported to have disappeared since the shooting, passed Thursday and Friday quietly in Washington with his friends. Friday evening he left the city, saying that he was going to his home in Brooklyn. While here Marx called upon Representative W. H. Jones, from the Congressional district in Virginia where the tragedy occurred, and related the circumstances of the shooting, which differed very little if at all from the accounts already published.

NEW YORK, December 7.—Wm. R. Marx, brother of Herbert Marx, said to-day that he did not know the present whereabouts of the young lawyer who shot three men in Virginia in defending himself from attack. "He is not in New York or Brooklyn," declared Wm. B. Marx. "He is in the country, but not in Virginia. He is recuperating from the shock of his experience. He was very much upset a few days ago, but is much better now. "When my brother is well he will return to his home in Brooklyn. How soon that will be I cannot tell. I have not heard from him to-day, and do not know exactly where he is."

McKINLEY MEMORIAL.

Board of Trustees Report the Work of Organization Well Advanced.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Board of Trustees of the McKinley National Memorial Association are in session here to-day, Judge William R. Day, of Canton, presiding. Rya Ryson Ritchie, the secretary, reported that the work of organization has so far advanced that within ten days the country will be covered by the State and local committees. The movement has met with an almost immediate response from the South. Gov. Aycock of North Carolina, Gov. Jeff. Davis of Arkansas, Gov. Jennings of Florida and Gov. Heard of Louisiana have especially been in earnest.

In the Italian Senate yesterday Baron Fava gave notice of his intention to interpellate the foreign office regarding the present status of the question, pending between the government of Italy and the United States government, arising from the lynching of two Italians at Erwin, Miss., in July last and how it proposed to settle the affair.

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DOMESTIC TROUBLES OF EUROPEAN ROYALTIES.

Holland's Scandal May Have Grave Political Consequences for Europe—The Scandal in Hesse.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—The domestic infelicities of European royalties have never come so prominently before the public as have to-day the difficulties of Queen Wilhelmina of The Netherlands, the dramatic circumstances of which form one of the chief topics of conversation. The romantic halo surrounding the young Queen and the keen interest taken in her marriage only help to accentuate public curiosity and sympathy. Moreover, it is realized that Holland's scandal may have grave political consequences for Europe, and hence its developments are followed closely by statesmen. While those best fitted to judge incline to the belief that it will all blow over for the present, there are grave apprehensions for the future.

From a personal point of view England is more deeply concerned in the scandal going on in Hesse, where one of Queen Victoria's grand daughters is on the verge of separation from her husband. This youthful marriage—the Grand Duchess of Hesse was only eighteen when she exchanged her British for a Continental title—has proved to be one of the most unsatisfactory among all the Royal matches, and the climax it is believed would have been reached ere this had it not been for the late Queen Victoria's imperious influence. The Duke of Edinburg's other daughter, the Crown Princess of Roumania, according to common report, also leads a none too happy marital existence, though recent rumors of an open rupture are met with strenuous official denial. However, no one in England would be surprised to hear that she is figuring in a role similar to that of her sister, the Grand Duchess of Hesse.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKETS

On the Rampage Again--Bull Enthusiasm. A Fever of Excitement—Big Demand for Wheat.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Dec. 6.—Speculation on the Board of Trade was on the rampage again to day. Once more scored prices in all grains were topped and bull enthusiasm ran from pit to pit, setting all traders in a fever of excitement. The conditions back of the upward whirl of prices were almost identical with those that started the strong bull movement here Wednesday and Thursday. Although the visiting stockmen are rapidly leaving the city, many of them are still buying. Country orders, especially for wheat, deluged the commission houses this forenoon before trade opened. Added to this big demand, however, was a new and powerful bull incentive, that of capitalistic speculation. Prominent brokers say that the country has gone speculation mad, and that men who usually dabble in stocks are turning to grain.

Trade seemed almost to ignore the early natural conditions which usually turn markets. However, the news to-day was bullish. Both the Liverpool and the English country markets were strong, the outside American markets bullish, and receipts were reported rapidly falling off. These influences, augmented by the report that Wall street was strongly buying in this market, brought opening prices ¾c. to 1¼c. higher for December wheat options and ⅞c. to 1¾c. higher for May. Naturally these bulges brought heavy liquidation, but prices stood well and reactions brought them up again on every bit of bullish news.

Corn and oats, though both excelling records for many years, followed largely after the lead of wheat. The cash situation in both these cereals is very strong and the supply markedly limited.

TRANSPORT SHERIDAN.

Arrived at San Francisco After an Adventurous Voyage from Manila.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—After many exciting adventures in Oriental waters, having narrowly escaped foundering, the transport Sheridan is safe in port. With several Congressmen on board and a large number of sick and discharged soldiers, the Sheridan left Manila fifty one days ago, bound for San Francisco. She had been at sea but a few days when she ran into a typhoon that all but sank her. The fury of the storm was terrific. When it abated the Sheridan tried to make headway but the engineers reported to Captain Pierce that the machinery was disabled. The transport drifted for a time with the currents of the sea, and almost went ashore on the Japanese coast. On October 10th she reached Nagasaki, much the worse for wear, and was put in drydock. After being thoroughly repaired the Sheridan left Nagasaki and made the run to this port in seventeen days and five hours.

EVENTS ON THE ISTHMUS.

Report of Captain Perry, of the U. S. Battleship Iowa.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Navy Department has received a report from Captain Perry, of the battleship Iowa, dated at Panama, November 26th, setting out in detail the events on the isthmus following the capture of Colon by the Liberals, its recapture and the part played by the United States naval forces in the re-opening of traffic. The captain says that the United States guards were treated with the greatest respect and consideration and no objectionable act was committed by either Conservative or Liberal soldiers.

TRADE WITH PHILIPPINES.

Shipments to the Islands Must Be Made in Vessels of U. S. Register.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 7.—The Chamber of Commerce of this city has appointed a committee to consider ways and means for encouraging a direct American line of steamers to the Philippines. The Treasury Department has ruled that by the recent Philippine decision of the Supreme Court, shipments may not be made to the islands in foreign bottoms, as it would be in violation of the statute providing that coastwise trade must be carried on in vessels of United States register, under penalty of forfeiture of the shipment.

The disabled schooner Habeson Hackman was towed into Hampton Roads Friday night by the Ward line steamer Saratoga, which picked her up sixty miles off Cape Charles. The schooner sailed from Norfolk for New York November 30th, with a cargo of lumber for the Standard Oil Company.

THE MYSTERY IS STILL UNSOLVED.

Norfolk's Chief of Police Says That Nellie Cropsey is Now in Baltimore.

BUT STORY IS QUESTIONED.

Elizabeth City Authorities Insist on the Abduction and Murder Theory--The River Yet Being Dragged—Wilcox at His Home.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NORFOLK, VA., Dec. 7.—Police Chief Vellines, of this city, is confident that Nellie Cropsey, the Elizabeth City girl, who mysteriously disappeared on November 20th from her home, is now in Baltimore, and he believes that in the next day or so she will be located ther. On the morning of November 22d a girl came to Norfolk on the Seaboard Air Line train from Franklin, Va., and secured a room in a boarding house. During the day she met Edward F. Kelley, who boarded at the same house, and she dined with him at a restaurant. She went by the name of Jessie Baker, and told him that she was from Elizabeth City and on her way to Baltimore, where she would visit for six or eight weeks and possibly go to Pennsylvania.

Your correspondent was informed in Elizabeth City to day that there is a Miss Jessie Baker living in that town who bears somewhat a resemblance to and who was a friend of Miss Nellie Cropsey. Miss Baker, however, has not been away from home. Kelley spent the major part of the day with the girl and saw her board the Baltimore steamer that evening. She was alone and with no baggage.

Police Chief Vellines wired Attorney A. G. Cropsey, of New York, to-night that he had every reason to believe that Nellie Cropsey is alive. Police Chief Dawson, of Elizabeth City, is here to-night and still insists on the murder and abduction theories. Pasquotank river is yet being dragged near the Cropsey home

CHARLOTTE, N. C., Dec. 7.—A special to the *Observer* from Suffolk, Va., says:

In three particulars the mother, sisters and cousin of Nellie Cropsey say that the dress at the time of her disappearance varies from the description given them yesterday by Edward F. Kelley, on whose information Chief Vellines, of Norfolk, bases his story of the alleged discovery. Kelley said the girl he saw to the Baltimore boat wore new shoes, a light jacket and a red waist with brass buttons. The family says Nellie wore a red waist with no brass buttons, old shoes and no coat. The sisters claim to know that Nellie had not more than five cents when she left.

Wilcox, her sweetheart, has returned to Elizabeth City. To-day, when seen, he was standing on a street corner in good spirits.

BALTIMORE, December 7.—The police at midnight report that they have been unable to locate Miss Cropsey in this city.

TICKET SCALPERS.

Action Taken by the Railroad Ticket Protective Bureau.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The chairman of the Railroad Passenger Association in the United States, comprising what is known as the Railroad Ticket Protective Bureau, met at the rooms of the Trunk Line Association in this city to day. Considerable evidence was produced showing that a large number of fraudulent tickets are in the hands of innocent purchasers, and it was decided to inaugurate a vigorous and aggressive campaign to prevent the travelling public from being imposed on by the ticket scalpers or persons engaged in fixing, altering or manipulating railroad tickets or other forms of transportation.

WARM WIRELETS.

The Chinese loan of 265,000,000 francs at 3 per cent. will be issued Dec. 21st.

The warships Alabama and Massachusetts sail from Charleston for Havana this morning.

It is estimated that 400,000 persons visited the International Live Stock Exposition which closed at Chicago last night.

Berry Howard, under indictment for complicity in the assassination of the late Governor William Goebel, was arrested at Pineville, Ky., yesterday.

United States Senator William J. Sewell arrived yesterday at his home in Camden, N. J., from Asheville, N. C., where he went about two months ago in search of health.

The Hamburg-American and the German Levant lines have combined, with the object of inaugurating a regular steamer service from New York direct to Levant ports.

Engineer Cavanaugh, who was hurt in the Oregon railway wreck, is dead. Four tramps are under arrest at the Dalles on suspicion of being concerned in the wrecking of the train.

Joseph E. Miller has been appointed passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line railway at Philadelphia. This appointment completes the passenger organization of the system in Eastern territory

It is authoritatively stated that there has been no marked change for the worse in the condition of Rear Admiral W. T. Sampson. However, he is now, as he has been since he came to Washington, in feeble health.

It is announced officially that the Southern Pacific railroad will, during the coming year, expend $3,000,000 on the Atlantic system between El Paso and New Orleans, in new equipment and building of branch lines.

Three robbers broke into the bank of The Archibald Banking Company, at Archibald, Ohio, and secured about $2,000 in gold and currency. John Hoffmayer, a resident, discovered the robbers and was shot in the jaw. The robbers were captured.

Police Wardman George Bissett, of New York city, convicted of accepting a bribe from the keeper of a disreputable house, was taken to Sing Sing prison yesterday and entered upon the service of a sentence of imprisonment for five years and six months.

President Roosevelt yesterday signed the first bill sent to him by Congress. It was the act to admit free of duty and to permit the transfer of foreign exhibits from the Pan-American Exposition to the South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition at Charleston, S. C.

The statement of the Associated Banks for the week ending yesterday shows: Loans $881,553,000, increase, $5,382,800; deposits, $938,558,100, decrease, $1,710,400; circulation $31,986,400, increase, $11,400; legal tenders, $71,816,600, decrease, $578,700; specie, $169,530,700, decrease, $6,555,800; reserves, $241,347,300, decrease, $7,234,500.

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Dance, or chorea, is one of the most pitiable afflictions humanity is called on to endure. That this disease can be cured, however, is proven by the fact that it *has been cured* by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. The tranquilizing effect upon the nerves exercised by this remarkable medicine is witnessed to by thousands who have found healing and strength in its use. It not only cures womanly diseases, but it promotes the health of the whole body. It is a nerve-feeding, strength-giving, sleep-inducing medicine. It makes weak women strong and sick women well.

"Favorite Prescription" contains no alcohol and is entirely free from opium, cocaine, and all other narcotics. It cannot disagree with the weakest or most delicate constitution.

"When our daughter Lizzie had St. Vitus's dance, I happened to get one of your small books and read it," writes Henry L. Miller, Esq., of 1016 North 7th St., Burlington, Iowa. "Among other things I found that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cured patients suffering from that trouble, so I went out and got a bottle. She was very bad at that time and could hardly talk. When I read about your medicine in that small book, I said to myself, with the help of God and that medicine we can cure our daughter. We did so. Four bottles of 'Favorite Prescription' cured her, and I did not have to take her to the doctor any more. She is well, thank God and the 'Favorite Prescription' for it."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure biliousness.

CASE OF MISS EASTWICK.

The American Girl Imprisoned in England for Raising a Stock Certificate.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The legal officers of the State Department are looking into an application made by the family of Miss Eastwick, the unfortunate American girl confined in London after conviction of having raised a stock certificate. The purpose of the applicants is to have the department appeal to the British Foreign Office in Miss Eastwick's behalf.

They have presented an overwhelming mass of testimony to show that the girl has in the past been subject to fits of derangement, rendering her irresponsible, and it is asserted that she is at present in that condition. The State Department will transmit these papers to the United States embassy at London with instructions to do all that can properly be done in behalf of the prisoner.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ Notices For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this Department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 30 cents. Terms positively cash in advance.

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The Dixie Cafe—Most popular place in town for quick lunches, meals and everything to refresh the inner man. Tables always supplied with oysters and game. Orders sent anywhere in the city. S. F. Harmon, proprietor, Princess street. dec 6 1t

Wanted—Immediately, three gallons best quality Sorghum. Apply at the STAR office. dec 5 3t

For the Next 30 Days I will sell at 10 per cent. discount, for cash, all Buggies, Carts, Drays and Wagons; also, Harness of all kinds, Whips, Robes and Collars. F. H. Hayden, Third street, opposite Court House. nov 17 tf

Notice—I have just received car of Jamaica Bananas. Also have Mountain Apples, Cabbage, Butter, Potatoes, Onions and all kinds of country produce. A. S. Winstead, 115 North Second street. oct 4 tf

Choice Timothy Hay, Clover Hay, Straw, fresh ground Meal, Pearl Hominy, Flour, Grain and everything in the Feed line for horses, cows and chickens. John S. McEachern Sons, 211 market street. Telephones No. 92. jy 8 tf

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And Furs of all description. Highest prices paid. Quotations furnished on application.

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Great Big Fish Roe Cheap.

Preserved Ginger, Loose Buckwheat, Prepared Buckwheat, Fresh Saratoga Chips, Fancy Red Cranberries, cleaned Currents and Raisins. Fine Glace Citron.

S. W. SANDERS,
Both Phones 109. — oct 28 tf

Executrix Notice.

Having qualified as Executrix of the last will of Henry VonGlahn, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to his estate to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate must present them for payment on or before the 24th day of November, 1901, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This 23rd day of November, 1901.

CAROLINE VONGLAHN, Executrix.
Nov 24, 1901. — su — nov 24 6t

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Old Santa has made his headquarters with us. He will start out from here to fill all the stockings in the town. We have Toys, Toys, Toys, that represent everything in the toy line. What you want ask for it; it will be found. We have all kinds of Candies from 8c to 25c per pound. We have fireworks. Roman candles, shoot four times, for 8c a dozen; torpedoes at 1c a box. All kinds and sizes of fireworks to sell cheap.

Five hundred new Umbrellas for presents, with Silver and Pearl handles. Just received three hundred pieces fine Fur that we are selling, practically speaking, at less than half price. A fine Collarette at 69 cents. A Fur Cape for 98c. And everthing in Fur as high as you want to go. A Fur Collarette and Muff for $6.50. A real Fur, with head, eyes and tail, for 98c. One hundred beautiful new Silk, Satin and Velvet waists. Waists that are worth $3, $4 and $5 each, in black, all sizes, at $2 each. Beautiful Silk Skirts, best Taffeta goods, for $5.00 and $7.50 each. Ladies fine all wool Homespun Skirts for $2, worth $3.50. Fine Flannel waists at $1. Mercerized Satteen waists at 48c. Striped underskirts worth $1, now 48c. One hundred and fifty black mercerized Underskirts at from 50c to $1.19. Ladies Cloaks—all styles, all prices.

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Our Men and Boys' Clothing Department is receiving great attention now—every day we are adding new value—new goods coming in all the time. We are selling $8 Suits for $5 and $10 Suits for $7.50. We have just bought to-day from factory all they had of lines of very fine Gentlemen Suits. Suits that retail for $15 and $20, my price on them is $10 and $12 50. A new line of Raglan Overcoats, strictly $10 coats, for $7.50. Just received, twenty fine Tricot Coats, regular $10 garments. I am closing them out at $5, saving you half and giving you a good coat. A Beaver Coat, full length and full size, $4.50 each. A Youth's very heavy coat with storm collar, for $1.98. A few small boys' Reefers cheap. A couple of 12-year old boy's Overcoats, worth $6, for $4.

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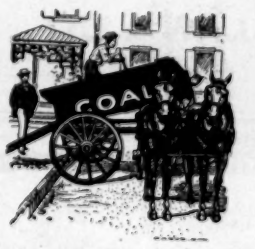

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